

## KWLOON-CANTON RAILWAY. TIME-TABLE. WEEKS DAYS.

	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Dep.	6.40	8.05	9.10	10.00	12.00	1.15	2.35	3.00	4.35	5.43
Dep.	6.49	—	9.20	10.07	12.07	1.23	—	—	4.42	5.50
Dep.	7.01	—	9.33	10.19	12.19	1.34	—	—	4.54	6.02
Dep.	7.15	—	9.47	10.32	12.32	1.47	—	—	5.07	6.15
Dep.	7.26	—	9.58	10.43	12.43	1.51	—	—	5.11	6.19
Dep.	7.30	—	10.05	10.46	12.46	2.01	—	—	5.21	6.30
Dep.	7.35	—	10.10	10.51	12.51	2.06	3.14	—	5.26	6.35
Dep.	7.41	—	10.15	10.57	12.57	2.12	3.20	3.40	5.32	6.41
Arr.	—	11.50	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.47	—

	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Dep.	—	—	—	8.05	—	—	—	—	3.20	—
Dep.	7.18	8.05	10.34	11.09	11.37	2.58	4.41	5.49	6.34	6.46
Dep.	7.25	8.12	10.41	—	11.44	3.05	4.48	5.56	—	6.53
Dep.	7.30	8.16	10.46	—	11.49	3.10	4.52	6.00	—	—
Dep.	7.40	8.28	10.55	—	12.00	3.21	5.02	6.10	—	—
Dep.	7.44	8.31	11.00	—	12.06	3.28	5.07	6.15	—	—
Dep.	7.57	8.44	11.13	—	12.19	3.39	5.20	6.28	—	—
Dep.	8.11	8.56	11.25	—	12.31	3.51	5.32	6.40	—	—
Dep.	8.17	9.02	11.31	11.49	12.37	3.57	5.38	6.46	7.04	7.29

## SUNDAYS AND PUBLIC HOLIDAYS.

	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Dep.	6.40	8.05	9.30	10.04	12.00	1.00	2.24	3.00	5.18	7.15
Dep.	6.49	—	—	—	12.07	1.07	2.31	—	5.25	7.23
Dep.	7.01	—	—	—	12.19	1.19	2.43	—	5.38	7.35
Dep.	7.15	—	—	—	12.32	1.32	2.56	—	5.52	7.48
Dep.	7.26	—	—	—	12.43	1.43	3.00	—	5.55	7.52
Dep.	7.30	—	—	—	12.46	1.46	3.10	—	6.07	8.02
Dep.	7.35	—	—	—	12.51	1.51	3.15	—	6.12	8.07
Dep.	7.41	—	—	—	12.57	1.57	3.21	3.40	6.18	8.13
Arr.	—	11.50	—	—	—	—	—	—	6.47	—

	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Dep.	—	—	—	8.05	—	—	—	—	3.20	—
Dep.	8.05	10.34	11.09	—	11.37	2.58	5.00	5.34	5.58	6.24
Dep.	8.12	10.41	—	—	11.44	3.05	5.07	5.41	6.03	—
Dep.	8.16	10.46	—	—	11.49	3.10	5.11	—	6.07	—
Dep.	8.28	10.55	—	—	12.00	3.21	5.21	—	6.17	—
Dep.	8.31	11.00	—	—	12.06	3.28	5.25	—	6.21	—
Dep.	8.45	11.13	—	—	12.19	3.39	5.38	—	6.34	—
Dep.	8.57	11.25	—	—	12.31	3.51	5.40	—	6.48	—
Dep.	9.03	11.31	11.49	12.37	3.57	5.56	6.17	6.52	7.04	—

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## THE SYSTEM OF SCOTLAND YARD.

### DETECTIVES IN FICTION AND IN FACT.

#### HOW A MURDERER'S ARREST IS DECIDED.

Scotland Yard in fiction and  
Scotland Yard in fact are two  
vastly different things.

The success of London's detective  
headquarters is not due to individ-  
ual men of genius with miracu-  
lous powers of deduction, as  
portrayed by fiction writers, but  
to a rigid rule-of-thumb system,  
which makes it impossible for an  
officer to take any action upon his  
own initiative without its being  
first reviewed by more than a dozen  
brains in that building of stone  
and red brick overlooking the  
Thames.

As an indication of the working  
of the system, there is the case of  
a chief inspector investigating a  
murder in a provincial town or  
village. Nightly his duty is to  
send by train to Scotland Yard a  
detailed report of every movement  
he has made, and when it concerns  
suspected persons—of every word  
uttered.

The following morning, at the  
stroke of eleven, the Chief Con-  
stable, with his four area superin-  
tendents and the chief inspectors,  
sit in conference. The report is  
considered and a few minutes later  
the Yard representative in the  
country is receiving fresh orders by  
telephone.

#### The Arrest Of Thorn.

The arrest of Thorn and other  
murderers has been decided upon  
not at the scene of the crime, but  
in the Whitehall headquarters.  
Criminals are caught because not  
one, but a dozen or more brains  
apply a rigid system to every in-  
vestigation. It is, therefore, all  
the more interesting to students of  
criminology to examine the first at-  
tempt made by an author to com-  
pile a history of Scotland Yard,  
and London's successful system of  
crime investigation.

Mr. George Dillont, in his book  
entitled "Scotland Yard," gives  
the history and progress of crime  
investigation since the days of the  
historic Bow-street runners. The  
application of science to detective  
work, however, was not heard of  
until 1877.

A departmental committee re-  
commended that the detective de-  
partment should be overhauled and  
placed under the charge of an  
Assistant Commissioner—for choice  
a criminal lawyer.

"Cold Commonsense."  
Then the first real attempt was  
made to put detection on a scienti-  
fic footing. But Vincent was for-  
tunate in having a man, such as  
Superintendent Williamson at his  
side.

The cold commonsense of that  
experienced officer tempered the en-  
thusiasms of the reformer, and in  
all likelihood prevented many awk-  
ward incidents, into which the un-  
checked zeal of the other might  
have led him. A day or two after  
he had taken control there was a  
big case of forgery, which demand-  
ed investigation. "Have every  
station carefully watched," he or-  
dered Williamson, "and keep a  
close eye on the outgoing boats."

"What will be the good of that,  
sir?" dryly demanded the veteran  
detective, and Vincent received the  
lesson that the first point in British  
detective work was the gathering  
of evidence to justify an arrest.  
Vincent, however, carried out  
numerous experiments towards the  
perfecting of a rough system. He  
was followed in office by Mr. James  
Munroe, a practical police officer,  
who consolidated the department  
and induced the public to believe  
in it.

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## SCHOOLS IN THE BLACK COUNTRY.

### PICTURES AND OPEN AIR CLASSES.

#### A NEW USE FOR A MIRROR.

In the heart of the "Black Coun-  
try" of Scotland, Lanarkshire  
education authorities are carrying  
on an interesting series of experi-  
ments for the propagation of art  
and knowledge among the children  
of the country.

A new public school, built at  
Machan, Larkhall, is beautiful even  
in its exterior, white walls with  
a red-tiled roof, single-storied,  
rising from a low foundation of  
red brick. Inside the entrance hall  
is a large mirror bearing the  
motto, "A merry heart goes all the  
way," and the corridor walls are  
decorated with reproductions of  
famous pictures. Three of the  
seven rooms occupied by the  
younger scholars are decorated to  
represent Morning, Noon, and  
Night, and the other four the  
Seasons. Notable pictures "are  
painted on the walls of the senior  
rooms. The school accommodates  
500 pupils.

Dalziel Secondary School has been  
treated in much the same fashion,  
the pictorial scheme including re-  
productions of views from the  
artistic posters issued by the rail-  
way companies, while the corridors  
are hung with facsimiles of Medi-  
ci prints.

Drumpark Special School is the  
most remarkable innovation of all.  
Every room in this building has  
been given to the different  
plant of the day, and decorated in a  
colour scheme to suit. From the  
Violet Room the visitor passes to  
the Poppy, Primrose, Larch, and  
Whin rooms; and one wall in each  
room is composed of sliding  
doors, which are to be opened dur-  
ing good weather, so that the  
classes will be practically in the  
open air.

In the bathing room the pupils  
bathe twice a week, and there are  
classes at which they are taught  
tailoring and mending boots, and  
others for instruction in the care  
of pigeons and rabbits. Within the  
beautiful grounds of the school  
stand a dovecot and a rabbit house,  
and the pigeons and Angora rabbits  
are given over for a week to the  
best boy in the school during the  
previous week.

Each week the class with the best  
attendance has the honour of keep-  
ing a banner with the legend on it,  
"We like school."

#### Sir E. Henry's Work.

Then came Sir Edward Henry,  
who in the phrase of the force  
proved himself "a good police-  
man." Of him the author writes:  
"No man ever lived who could  
handle such an instrument as the  
Metropolitan police without mak-  
ing mistakes in greater or lesser  
degree. His reforms were far-  
reaching."

"But if he had done nothing  
more—and he did much more—than  
initiate a practical finger-print  
system, and establish a police  
training school, his name merits  
record as that of one who, in  
modern times, struck the greatest  
blow at the growth of crime, and  
improved the status of the police  
officer beyond measure."

"What of the present-day detec-  
tive? A well-known officer, discus-  
sing the present facilities of educa-  
tion in the force, said: "You may  
dress a man in spats and give him  
a 'Varsity education, but it is very  
long odds against him ever catch-  
ing thieves." Sir Basil Thomson  
has declared that they may be  
divided into two classes—the detec-  
tive and the thief catcher. Mr.  
Dillont contends there is half-truth  
in this.

"The business of a detective,  
after all," he claims, "is chief  
catching, and from the point of  
view of the public, so long as he  
does it, it does not matter very  
much whether he is familiar with  
quadratic equations, or whether,  
like that old officer who reported  
a Royal personage, as arriving  
safely, escorted by a troop of  
dragons, he has no use for the sub-  
tleties of education. The thief-  
taker type is still not unknown,  
even in the higher grades of the  
service, and there have been men  
of this sort whose rugged common  
sense has carried them to success  
where more subtle men would have  
failed."

## DIARY OF EVENTS.

### To-day.

"Seafoam" Fire Fighting Appa-  
ratus Demonstration, A.P.C. In-  
stallation, North Point, 11 a.m.  
St. Peter's Church, Young Men's  
Club 1st Annual Garden Fete, 1,  
Oakland's Path, 2.30 p.m.  
Golf: Kowloon Golf Club v. Shek  
O Golf Club.  
Cricket: H.K.C.C. Interport  
Trial Match: K.C.C. v. R.A.  
C.S.C.C. v. Chinese R.C. Navy v.  
H.K.C.C. and "XI." K.C.C. v.  
C.S.C.C. and XI. I.R.C. "A" v.  
R.A.F. v. Craigengower C.C. v. H.K.  
Electric Co. v. Club de Recreo v.  
Queen's Royal Regiment.

Football League:—Senior Divi-  
sion: Queen's v. Kowloon; Recreo  
v. R.A.; Chinese Athletic v. Scots  
Guards; Air Force v. S. China;  
K.O.S.B. v. Club Junior "A";  
Royal Artillery v. K.O.S.B.; Kow-  
loon v. South China "A"; South  
China "B" v. Recreo; St. Joseph's  
v. Club; University v. Chinese Ath.  
Junior "B"; Kung Woo v. St.  
Joseph's; Kowloon v. China "A";  
South China "B" v. Chinese Ath.  
Moslems v. Boy Scouts.

Hockey: Waseda University v.  
H.K. Hockey Club, King's Park,  
4 p.m.

Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and  
Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30  
p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m.  
Armistice Carnival Dance, Hong  
Kong Hotel.

Dinner Dances: King Edward  
Hotel and Cafe Regent, 8 p.m.  
Cafe Regent formal opening din-  
ner, 8 p.m.

Carnival Dance Victoria Recrea-  
tion Club for Earl Haig's Fund.  
The "Thrascians" present a  
variety entertainment, R.N. Can-  
teen Theatre, 9 p.m.

Queen's Theatre: "The Untamed  
Lady."

World Theatre: "He Who Gets  
Slapped."

Star Theatre: "The Spanish  
Dancer."

Principal Mails:—Outward:  
Europe via Marseilles (Macedonia)  
10.30 a.m.; San Francisco, and  
Europe via Siberia (Korea Maru),  
5 p.m.

### Sunday.

22nd Sunday After Trinity.  
Golf: St. George's v. St. An-  
drew's Society, Fanling.

Kowloon Golf Club: 1st Round  
of Championship.  
Fanling Hunt: "Paper Hunt,"  
meet Sheung Shui Police Station,  
10.45 a.m.

Yachting.  
Theosophical Society: Lecture by  
Mr. H. E. Lanepart on "The  
Guardians of Humanity," Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant, 6 p.m.

Social Gathering, St. John's  
Cathedral Hall, after Evensong (6  
p.m.).

"Cheer O' Y.M.C.A.—Men's  
Meeting, 7.45 p.m.  
After Dinner Dance at Lee Gar-  
dens.

Queen's Theatre: "Valencia."  
World Theatre: "The Social  
Celebrity."

Star Theatre: "To the Last  
Man," 5.30 p.m.; The New "Our  
Cabaret" present "Hey! Hey!"  
9.15 p.m.

Principal Mails:—Inward:  
U.S.A., etc. (President Lincoln).  
Monday.

Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and  
Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; King  
Edward Hotel, 5 p.m.; Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30  
p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m.  
Vocal and Piano Recital by Mrs.  
P. Youngusband and Mr. Harry  
Oie, City Hall, 5.30 p.m.

Steel and Coulson's Billiards  
League: R.A. v. R.E. and R. Sigs.  
D.R.C. v. K.O.S.B.; Police v.  
Revenue: Warders v. Garrison  
Sigs. Mess.

Cafe Regent dinner dance, 8 p.m.  
R.E. and R. Sigs. Junior Dance  
Club carnival dance, Royal En-  
gineers' Theatre, Wellington Bar-  
racks, 8.30 p.m.

H.K. Male Voice Choir Re-  
hearsal, St. John's Cathedral Hall,  
8.30 p.m.

Queen's Theatre: "Valencia."  
World Theatre: "The Social  
Celebrity."

Star Theatre: "To the Last  
Man," 5.30 p.m.; The New "Our  
Cabaret" present "Hey! Hey!"  
9.15 p.m.

Tuesday.  
Entries close for 8th Extra Race  
Meeting, noon.  
Sanitary Board meeting, 4.15  
p.m.

Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and  
Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; Lane,  
Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30  
p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m.  
Practice Dance for St. Andrew's  
Ball, City Hall, 5.30-7 p.m.  
After Dinner Dance at Lee Gar-  
dens.

Cafe Regent dinner dance, 8 p.m.  
Queen's Theatre: "Behind the  
Front."

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Yuenai ...Dep.	8.45	8.10	9.15	10.05	12.05	1.20	2.40	3.05	4.30	5.50
Shatin ...Dep.	7.01	7.25	8.30	9.20	11.20	1.25	2.45	3.10	4.35	5.55
Taipei ...Dep.	7.15	7.40	8.45	9.35	11.35	1.40	3.00	3.15	4.40	6.00
Taipei Market ...Dep.	7.30	7.55	9.00	9.50	11.50	1.55	3.15	3.30	4.55	6.15
Fanning ...Dep.	7.40	8.05	9.10	10.00	12.00	1.25	2.45	3.10	4.35	5.55
Shuangshui ...Dep.	7.55	8.20	9.25	10.15	12.15	1.40	3.00	3.15	4.40	6.00
Shuangshui ...Arr.	7.41	8.45	10.15	10.57	12.57	2.12	3.20	3.40	5.35	6.41
Canton ...Arr.	—	11.50	5.58	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

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Shuangshui ...Dep.	7.25	8.12	10.41	11.16	11.44	2.45	4.48	5.56	—	6.53
Fanning ...Dep.	7.30	8.16	10.45	11.20	11.48	2.50	4.53	6.00	—	—
Taipei Market ...Dep.	7.40	8.26	10.55	11.30	12.00	3.01	5.04	6.10	—	—
Taipei ...Dep.	7.44	8.31	11.00	11.35	12.05	3.05	5.08	6.15	—	—
Shatin ...Dep.	7.57	8.44	11.13	11.48	12.18	3.18	5.21	6.28	—	—
Shuangshui ...Dep.	8.11	8.58	11.25	12.00	12.31	3.31	5.34	6.40	—	—
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Shatin ...Dep.	7.01	7.25	8.30	9.20	11.20	1.25	2.45	3.10	4.35	5.55
Taipei ...Dep.	7.15	7.40	8.45	9.35	11.35	1.40	3.00	3.15	4.40	6.00
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Fanning ...Dep.	7.40	8.05	9.10	10.00	12.00	1.25	2.45	3.10	4.35	5.55
Shuangshui ...Dep.	7.55	8.20	9.25	10.15	12.15	1.40	3.00	3.15	4.40	6.00
Shuangshui ...Arr.	7.41	8.45	10.15	10.57	12.57	2.12	3.20	3.40	5.35	6.41
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## THE SYSTEM OF SCOTLAND YARD.

### DETECTIVES IN FICTION—AND IN FACT.

#### HOW A MURDERER'S ARREST IS DECIDED.

Scotland Yard in fiction and Scotland Yard in fact are two vastly different things.

The success of London's detective headquarters is not due to individual men of genius with miraculous powers of deduction, as portrayed by fiction writers, but to a rigid rule-of-thumb system, which makes it impossible for an officer to take any action upon his own initiative without its being first reviewed by more than a dozen brains in that building of stone and red brick overlooking the Thames.

As an indication of the working of the system there is the case of a chief inspector investigating a murder in a provincial town or village. Nightly his duty is to send by train to Scotland Yard a detailed report of every movement he has made, and when it concerns suspected persons of every word uttered.

The following morning, at the stroke of eleven, the Chief Constable, with his four area superintendents and the chief inspectors, sit in conference. The report is considered and a few minutes later the " Yard " representative in the country is receiving fresh orders by telephone.

The arrest of Thorne and other murderers has been decided upon not at the scene of the crime, but in the Whitehall headquarters.

Criminals are caught because not one, but a dozen or more brains apply a rigid system to every investigation. It is therefore all the more interesting to students of criminology to examine the first attempt made by an author to compile a history of Scotland Yard, and London's successful system of crime investigation.

Mr. George Dilnot, in his book entitled "Scotland Yard," gives the history and progress of crime investigation since the days of the historic Bow-street runners. The application of science to detective work, however, was not heard of until 1877.

A departmental committee recommended that the detective department should be overhauled and placed under the charge of an Assistant Commissioner—for choice a criminal lawyer.

"It chanced that a young and ambitious man, not without some influence, saw opportunity in the Scotland Yard upheaval. This was Howard Vincent, who had been by turn soldier, war correspondent and barrister."

"He therefore went to Paris and made a survey of the French detective system. His observations he embodied in a précis, which he re-wrote eighteen times, and presented to the Committee. When it was decided to create a new detective department he applied for the appointment as its chief. He got it."

"Cold Common Sense." Then the first real attempt was made to put detection on a scientific footing. But Vincent was fortunate in having a man such as Superintendent Williamson at his side.

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## SCHOOLS IN THE BLACK COUNTRY.

### PICTURES AND OPEN AIR CLASSES.

#### A NEW USE FOR A MIRROR.

In the heart of the "Black Country" of Scotland, Lanarkshire education authorities are carrying on an interesting series of experiments for the propagation of art and knowledge among the children of the country.

A new public school, built at Machan, Larkhall, is beautiful even in its exterior, white walls with a red-tiled roof, single-storeyed, rising from a low foundation of red brick. Inside the entrance hall is a large mirror bearing the motto, "A merry heart gets all the way," and the corridor walls are decorated with reproductions of famous pictures. Three of the seven rooms occupied by the younger scholars are decorated to represent Morning, Noon, and Night, and the other four the Seasons. Notable pictures are panelled on the walls of the senior rooms. The school accommodates 600 pupils.

Dulziel Secondary School has been treated in much the same fashion, the pictorial scheme including reproductions of views from the artistic posters issued by the railway companies, while the corridors are hung with facsimiles of Medici prints.

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In the bathing room the pupils bathe twice a week, and there are classes at which they are taught tailoring and mending boots, and others for instruction in the care of pigeons and rabbits. Within the beautiful grounds of the school stand a dovecot and a rabbit house, and the pigeons and Angora rabbits are given over for a week to the best boy in the school during the previous week.

Each week the class with the best attendance has the honour of keeping a banner with the legend on it, "We like school."

#### Sir E. Henry's Work.

Then came Sir Edward Henry, who in the phrase of the force proved himself "a good policeman." Of him the author writes: "No man ever lived who could handle such an instrument as the Metropolitan police without making mistakes in greater or lesser degree. His reforms were far-reaching."

"But if he had done nothing more—and he did much more—than initiate a practical, finger-print system, and establish a police training school, his name merits record as that of one who, in modern times, saved the greatest blow at the growth of crime, and improved the status of the police officer beyond measure."

What of the present-day detective? A well-known officer, discussing the present facilities of education in the force, said: "You may dress a man in spats and give him a 'Varsity education, but it is very long odds against him ever catching thieves." Sir Basil Thomson has declared that they may be divided into two classes—the detective and the thief catcher. Mr. Dilnot contends there is half-truth in this.

## DIARY OF EVENTS.

### To-day.

"Seafarer" Fire Fighting Apparatus Demonstration, A.P.C. Installation, North Point, 11 a.m. St. Peter's Church Young Men's Club 1st Annual Garden Fete, 1, Oakland's Path, 2.30 p.m. Golf: Kowloon Golf Club v. Shek O Golf Club.

Cricket: H.K.C.C. v. Kowloon Trial Match: K.C.C. v. R.A.; C.S.C.C. v. Chinese R.C.; Navy v. H.K.C.C. 2nd XI.; K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C. 2nd XI.; I.R.C. "A" v. R.A.F.; Craigongower C.C. v. H.K. Electric Co.; Club de Recreio v. Queen's Royal Regiment.

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Hockey: Waseda University v. H.K. Hockey Club, King's Park, 4 p.m. Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30 p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m. Armistice Carnival Dance, Hong Kong Hotel.

Dinner Dances: King Edward Hotel and Cafe Regent, 8 p.m. Cafe Regent formal opening dinner, 8 p.m. Carnival Dance Victoria Recreation Club for Earl Haig's Fund. The "Thracians" present a variety entertainment, R.N. Canton Theatre, 9 p.m. Queen's Theatre: "The Untamed Lady."

World Theatre: "Ho, Who Gets Slapped." Star Theatre: "The Spanish Dancer." Principal Malls:—Outward: Europe via Marseilles (Macedonia) 10.30 a.m.; San Francisco and Europe via Siberia (Korea-Maru), 5 p.m.

Sunday. 22nd Sunday After Trinity. Golf: St. George's v. St. Andrew's Society, Fanning. Kowloon Golf Club: 1st Round of Championship. Fanning Hunt: Paper Hunt, meet Sheung Shui Police Station, 10.45 a.m. Yachting.

Theosophical Society: Lecture by Mr. H. E. Laneport on "The Guardians of Humanity," Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 8 p.m. Social Gathering, St. John's Cathedral Hall, after Evensong (8 p.m.). "Cheer O" Y.M.C.A.:—Men's Meeting, 7.45 p.m. After Dinner Dance at Lee Gardens.

Queen's Theatre: "Valencia." World Theatre: "The Social Celebrity." Star Theatre: "To the Last Man," 5.30 p.m.; The New "Our Cabaret" present: "Hey! Hey!" 9.15 p.m. Principal Malls:—Inward: U.S.A., etc. (President Lincoln), Monday.

Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; King Edward Hotel, 5 p.m.; Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30 p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m. Vocal and Piano Recital by Mrs. P. Youngusband and Mr. Harry Ore, City Hall, 5.30 p.m. Steel and Coulson's Billiards League: R.A. v. R.E. and R. Sigs; D.R.C. v. K.O.S.B.; Police v. Revenue; Warders v. Garrison Sigs, Mess.

Cafe Regent dinner dance, 8 p.m. R.E. and R. Sigs Junior Dance Club carnival dance, Royal Engineers' Theatre, Wellington Barracks, 8.30 p.m. H.K. Male Voice Choir Rehearsal, St. John's Cathedral Hall, 8.30 p.m. Queen's Theatre: "Valencia." World Theatre: "The Social Celebrity." Star Theatre: "To the Last Man," 5.30 p.m.; The New "Our Cabaret" present: "Hey! Hey!" 9.15 p.m.

Tuesday. Entries close for 8th Extra Race Meeting, noon. Sanitary Board meeting, 4.15 p.m. Tea Dances: H.K. Hotel and Hotel Savoy, 4.30 p.m.; Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, 4.30-6.30 p.m.; Cafe Regent, 4.30-6.30 p.m. Practice Dance for St. Andrew's Ball, City Hall, 5.30-7 p.m. After Dinner Dance, at Lee Gardens. Cafe Regent dinner dance, 8 p.m. Queen's Theatre: "Behind the Front."

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## THE GREAT POET OF MODERN INDIA.

AN APPRECIATION OF  
DR. TAGORE.

RAKINDRANATH TAGORE: POET AND  
DRAMATIST. BY E. J. THOMPSON.  
(OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS,  
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There must be many besides the present writer who were privileged to meet Dr. Tagore on his recent visit to Singapore, writes Mr. R. J. H. Sidney in the *Straits Times*. The fact of hearing him speak must have made thousands realise why the great Indian poet's reputation is world-wide. To me, the scene in the Victoria Theatre on the afternoon of Dr. Tagore's first public lecture, will always be memorable. The Theatre was more crowded than I have ever seen it (in fact one really wondered whether the dress circle might not give way under the strain); hundreds were content patiently to stand throughout the entire proceedings, and for some ten minutes Dr. Tagore's voice was calmly battling against the surging sound waves vibrating from the thronged auditorium.

Gradually, however, a calm ensued, and the poet's voice could be heard clear and bell-like. His voice had a wonderful quality of sweetness. It was persuasive and poetical, and the images he constantly evoked showed at once the quality of his mind. I should like to have read a verbatim report of the lecture. As the voice rose and fell—not monotonously but very sweetly—one began to understand that here was not only a poet but a musician as well, and a stranger—even though he knew much of Dr. Tagore's reputation—could not fail to marvel at his mastery of the English tongue. One went away feeling that one must know more about such a man; that one must find out for what he stood in life and in the world, and here is Professor Thompson's (the author is lecturer in Bengali at Oxford) book, which will tell us as much as we wish to know and probably send us to Tagore's work for more.

#### Tagore's Life And Works.

What will amaze us at first is that Dr. Tagore—in spite of a very active life in education and other phases of human activity—has contrived to write so much poetry and music. "Milton's English verse," says Professor Thompson, "is less than 18,000 lines; Rabindranath Tagore's published verse and drama, the subject of the present study, amount to 100,000 or their equivalent. His non-dramatic prose, in the collected edition of his works now in process, will be in the proportion, to his verse and drama, of seven enormous volumes to three." This statement makes us realise something of Dr. Tagore's enormous output, and, as we read this book, we learn that he has never allowed himself to rest sufficiently between his creative activities, and that in consequence there is much stuff that is not worthy to stand beside his best. Tagore was born on the 6th of May, 1861, in Calcutta. He was born into that great rumbling mansion at Jorasanko, in the heart of Calcutta's teeming life. No home could be better suited for the opening mind of a poet, if he must be born in a city and away from the spaces and forests.

#### His School Days.

Dr. Tagore told us when he was lecturing in Singapore that he had refused to go to school. We now get confirmation of this picture here. "His first experiences of school distressed him." Again: "Rabindranath declined to be 'educated'." And then he set off on his travels with his father and saw more of India than many boys compass in a life time.

It was on his return that he put into effect his magnificent powers of passive resistance, and won the first of his many victories. He was sent to the Bengal Academy, and then to St. Xavier's, but his resolute refusal to be educated stood proof against authority and banishment and he was allowed to study at home.

#### Santiniketan.

The remembrance of his own early life determined Dr. Tagore to found his own school when he should be able to, and to raise funds for its further work is the main reason for his present tour, and explains why we were privileged to see him in our midst so recently. But, as Thompson remarks, "the poet planned much more than a school. He sought a home for the spirit of India, distracted and torn in the conflicting storms of the age. The unity of India has been a dream present with some of her greater sons. Here he felt it might begin to be realised with a completeness hitherto unattained." At Santiniketan all creeds and religions will be studied, all literatures, and the modern scientific achievements of East and West alike. The University will purchase or sell, construct, maintain, found, initiate, organise or assist and generally deal in or with the following: Buildings and building materials; food-stuffs;

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## 30,000 MILES TO FIND "TYPES."

EXPLORER-ARTIST IN  
CENTRAL ASIA.

CHINESE DESTROY 200  
PICTURES.

Roland Strasser, whose name will surely occupy a niche in the history of the world's art, has returned to his home in Vienna for a rest after another 30,000-miles journey up and down Central Asia, which he began in the autumn of 1924. Of the 260 paintings and drawings with which he arrived at Peking in January this year, mostly made in the wilds of Mongolia, the bulk were wondrously destroyed by Chinese soldiers, and he brought only 48 to Europe. There were taken to London for exhibition in Paris. Herr Strasser has a compelling personality, and since the two exhibitions of earlier paintings in London in 1924, first for a week at the Austrian Legation and then at the Paterson Gallery in Bond-street, his genius has been acknowledged. When you talk to Herr Strasser—with his rugged features, earnest humour, and steady eyes—you are not surprised to find that he is a pioneer in pictorial art, with a style exclusively his own. He literally lays on his colours with his palette knife to get effects he desires.

#### Escape From Red Prison.

His London exhibition in 1924 comprised drawings and paintings from New Guinea, Bali, Siam, North China, and Ceylon, as well as Tibet and Mongolia. He became known in London immediately after the war, when he sold a number of still earlier pictures, mostly made in the Sudan, for £4,000, and he spent the money on the tour that ended in 1924. His route was Unga, the capital of Mongolia, on this last journey was Bombay-Calcutta-Darjeeling-Tibet. In Unga, which he describes as entirely under Russian Bolshevik influence, he remained for more than a year, then fled hurriedly on horseback, with two coolies bringing his precious work and other belongings, including a tent, on a truck to Kalgan, across the vast desert to Gobi. He had been imprisoned for five days at Unga simply because someone denounced him as anti-Bolshevik, and obtained no food except a quantity of dirty rice, sitting in a filthy cellar with 50 other suspects or convicts. He was released through the efforts of a Russian interpreter who spoke some English and whom he was able to pay for his services.

#### Comfort In Native Dress.

Herr Roland Strasser was born in 1886, though in spite of the hardships he has suffered he does not look his age. His father, the Austrian sculptor, Arthur Strasser, is a Spaniard from the Basque country who became a naturalised Austrian and changed his name to Quiriquet to Strasser. His mother was French. He speaks English almost as well as German, but he has never found "time to waste" learning native languages in Mongolia, though he wore the coarse native clothing "because it is more comfortable." He searches always for "types," induces them to sit for him, and makes portraits that seem to think and breathe. Trained first for a year by his father as a sculptor, he went to the academy at Munich for three years and became a painter. His work is, therefore, curiously stereoscopic in quality.—*Daily Mail*.

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#### A Personal Impression.

I have left little space to deal with the many phases of the poet's life and work which Professor Thompson brings before us so clearly. But it is remarkable that Dr. Tagore told me very much that is reported in this book when I was privileged to meet him at the bungalow in Siglap where he was staying. The great Indian was tired, tired; one could feel it. "They give me no rest, you know," he said. "In Chicago there was a certain Mrs. ... and she protected me; but in other places I am at the mercy of my friends, and without meaning to they persecute me." Asked by Professor Thompson how long he expected to live, Dr. Tagore replied: "I shall die at 68." And this, apparently is what is written in his horoscope. Personally, I must hope with so many others, that Dr. Tagore will allow himself a little rest and that the world will have the chance of enjoying his presence for many years more. He is nearly 68 now!

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A film which was shown recently in Berlin seems to justify the portentous seriousness with which the cinema is regarded in Germany. It is entitled *Berlin, the City of Symphony*. It is an honest attempt to present the life and rhythm of a capital city during 24 hours, honest because the producer of this film has not tried to give unity and "popular appeal" to a series of disconnected scenes by stringing them together on the thread of a personal story. There is no plot in the ordinary sense. A train rushes over the open country and reaches the city terminus. There follow scenes of the street, empty in the light of early morning except for a piece of paper blowing to and fro, or water running in the gutter. A cat creeps out. Shutters begin to go up. Workmen go into the factories. We see the crowds on the underground railway, children going to school, all sorts and conditions of people leaving their homes, offices beginning work, the traffic and a hundred incidents in the street, the luncheon interval, people bathing, rowing and riding in the afternoon. Finally the sky signs blaze, people go to hear Beethoven, or see a revue, or drink beer in bars, or sell matches in the gutter.

The producer has not lost sight of the fact that the subject of the film is the city itself, as an individual organism, so that inanimate things and animals are treated not merely as a background to human beings but on equal terms. The result is extraordinarily impressive. Machines, houses, articles in shop windows, partly because of the skill with which they are photographed and partly by being perfectly fitted to their context, acquire vitality and significance.

The other factor in achieving the remarkable unity of this film is the music, written by Edmund Meisel, which is very successfully synchronized with the film by means of an instrument called the music chronometer, invented after years of experiment by Herr Carl Robert Blum.

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## EX-ACTIVE SERVICE MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

ANNUAL ARMISTICE DINNER HELD LAST NIGHT.

## INTERESTING SPEECHES.

There were fully 300 present, including members and guests, at the annual Armistice Dinner of the Ex-Active Service Men's Association, held at Volunteer Headquarters last night. The hall was tastefully decorated with flags and the tables attractively laid with Flanders' poppies for each member of the large assembly.

Several appropriate speeches were delivered, all bearing on the fine co-operation of the Services and the bonds of fellowship and unity formed during the long drawn out agony of the Great War and the need for a continuance of this fellowship to ensure the peace and well-being of a strong and united Empire.

The function proved most successful and enjoyable, with a fine evidence of camaraderie and good fellowship.

Lieut.-Colonel F. Hayley Bell, D.S.O., President of the Association, presided. Others present were:—H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G., Commander J. L. Pearson, C.M.G., Col. C. Russell Brown, D.S.O., Major R. A. Wolfe-Murray, D.S.O., M.C., Lieut.-Col. W. C. P. Russell, D.S.O., Lieut.-Col. R. G. Clarke, C.M.G., D.S.O., Col. Sir Victor Mackenzie, Bt., D.S.O., M.V.O., Major J. Macready, D.S.O., Major F. C. Roberts, V.C., D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., Squadron Commander Macpherson, Capt. Whyte, A.D.C. to H.E., Lieut. R. Q. F. Johnson, A.D.C. to the G.O.C., Paymaster-Commander H. Rogers, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, C.M.G., Mr. J. W. Franks, Mr. J. H. Seth, Mr. H. J. Bragg and Mr. J. E. Mackenzie, Vice-Presidents of the Association, Mr. E. S. Carter, Chairman, E.A.S.M.A., Mr. C. L. Edwards, Vice-Chairman, and Mr. R. J. Hunt, Hon. Secretary.

After dinner, Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell submitted the Loyal Toast, which was followed by the "Silent Toast" during which a bugler of the 2nd K.O.S.B. sounded the "Last Post" and the "Reveille."

## THE SERVICES COMRADESHIP.

Submitting the toast of the Services, Commander G. B. Hartford, R.N. (retired), said that memories of the war were growing dim in their minds, but there was one thing which stood out as much as ever it did, one thing of which the gathering present was a magnificent illustration, and that was the sense of comradeship and mutual understanding and respect which existed between the sister Services. This was due to a great extent to their mutual and close co-operation during the war. (Applause.) The sense of comradeship reached at that time would remain with them during the remainder of their lives, and he ventured to predict it would pass on to those who succeeded them. The speaker congratulated the Ex-Active Service Men's Association on having such an efficient leader as Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, whose leadership had contributed in no small measure to the present efficient state of affairs. He also spoke of the fine work which had been accomplished by the Hon. Secretary of the Association, Mr. R. J. Hunt, who had not spared himself in his labours on behalf of the "Easmas." (Applause.)

## REPLY FOR THE NAVY.

Replying on behalf of the Navy, Commander J. L. Pearson, C.M.G., said that their President, Col. Hayley Bell, was associated with a Regiment which had come into very close touch with the Navy, and had been for years and he hoped, that the close connection would be continued for many years to come.

They were commemorating that night the first Armistice Day and when he looked back he often wondered what their feelings were when they realised that the war was finished. They had all lost something in the war, relatives, or friends, whom it appeared were irreplaceable. The country was heavily in debt, the outlook was none too bright, but at the present time they could see that they had taken hold and tackled their many difficult problems with the same spirit as they had during the war period. There was no doubt in his mind but that they would emerge a stronger and more united nation (applause). In other ways they had gained something from the experience of that time.

After referring to the Services' co-operation during the war, Commander Pearson said that many lasting friendships had been formed in the trying period from 1914-1918. Those friendships, formed during a period of stress, should never be permitted to fade away.

The speaker went on to refer to necessary economies that took place after the war, and said how they were endeavouring to produce an efficient Navy with a reduced force. As the policeman of the seas, the Navy could not cope with all its duties unless it had the co-operation and assistance of the other Services, to whom he paid a warm tribute.

He had heard a good deal of the operations of Naval men on land. He joined the Navy in the early days of 1914 as an A.B. and a not very able one, and proceeded with the C.I.V.'s (Churchill's Innocent Victims) to Antwerp (laughter). He thought there the Naval forces found, that Fritz had the matter shrouded up a good deal better than they thought.

Concluding, Mr. Edwards expressed the Association's pleasure in having the company of so many distinguished guests.

## HIS EXCELLENCY'S REPLY.

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, replying on behalf of the Visitors, said he had one regret. It was that he had to speak in the place of a much more distinguished officer, and he was very sorry that Sir Cecil Clementi was not there to charm them with his eloquence as they knew he well could. He was sure that if he was not there in the flesh he was in the spirit and would wish him to say how much he (Sir Cecil) had the welfare of the Association at heart. Although they were not all members, and perhaps some not entitled to be members, they would like to share with them that great day, the greatest day, he thought, in the history of the British Empire.

## Fellowships Of The War.

The fellowship formed during the war was different from any fellowship which existed in the British Empire. It was the privilege of associations like the "E.A.S.M.A." to keep alive and strengthen that fellowship and see that it should never die. To many of them the war was the greatest event of their lives, and Armistice Day was a landmark of that long drawn out agony. It was well that they should join together once each year and commemorate that day—commemorate it with prayer and with thanksgiving—prayer for the future of lessons learned and thanksgiving for the mercies of the past and for the Armistice Day that brought the war to a close.

It was emblematic of Armistice Day that they had the "Last Post" sounded at the commemorative service and "Reveille" sounded later to mark the dawn, which that Armistice Day heralded.

## Lessons Learned.

He thought it was Lord Reading who said it was never well to look back unless to learn a lesson for the future. That was one of the occasions on which he thought it was well to look back and learn a lesson. They had learned the lesson that war with all its horrors could produce forms of friendship which united all men in great and glorious endeavour. They also learned that in that get-together spirit victory could be achieved, but it must be remembered that victories did not belong only to war. The victories of peace had in many cases yet to be won and unless they continued those same bonds of friendship and co-operation which helped to win the war, they would never succeed in winning the victories of peace. In peace as in war petty jealousies and personal ambitions which would wreck any campaign had to be put aside.

## Hard Times In Troubled Peace.

In this beautiful island of Hong Kong considerable hardships had been suffered in the troublous days of peace. There were few who had not felt the pinch during these troubled times. It was in such times that an Association such as the E.A.S.M.A. could prove its worth. It had many claims on its generosity and those claims had been met. Hard times tended to keep an association together but it should be remembered that the cloying times of peace were apt to make members forgetful. An association might find its funds sinking and itself going to decay. To prevent this an association required the right person at the head and in that hardy warriors, Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, they had selected the right person as the head of the Association. So long as he was there the cloying days of prosperity would have no effect on the Association. (Applause.)

Proposing the toast of the organisation, His Excellency said the Association was inspired by the highest ideals—ideals which he had not the slightest doubt that the officers and members would keep ever in view, and so long as they kept them in view the Association would continue to flourish. Its activities were manifold and wonderful.

## HELPING OTHERS.

Lieut.-Col. Hayley Bell, replying, said the E.A.S.M.A. was a hazardous collection of ex-Service men who took part in the war. He had been astonished to find the enormous amount of ground they had covered. There were 450 members representing 93 units. Almost every regiment in the Army was represented, together with men from the Dominions and Colonies and also from that great unit of the British Empire, the Mercantile Marine. (Applause.) They had been able to help ex-Service men "down on their luck" and they tried very hard to keep up the spirit bred during the war. Armistice Day was the great day of the year and they made something of it. He thought that although they had 450 members they should have more.

Concluding, the speaker proposed a toast to the Hon. Mr. Southern which was honoured with enthusiasm, His Excellency briefly replying.

During dinner, and later the Band of the 2nd K.O.S.B., under the baton of Mr. W. H. Fitz-Earle, A.R.C.M., played excellent selections, several being reminiscent of the War, and the choruses of which were heartily taken up.

After the toasts had been duly honoured, an excellent concert was held, the artistes contributing being Mr. T. G. Patterson, Mr. E. Gardner, Mr. Andrews, Mr. R. A. Green, Mr. R. Dormer and Mr. V. Blundell.

## THE Y'S CLUB DINNER.

[FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

The Y's Club, an organization of younger Chinese business men of Hong Kong, including a number of graduates of American and British universities, held a very successful dinner party at the Kaping Restaurant last evening in celebration of the Armistice. The dinner was arranged by Mr. Li Siu Pak, a secretary of the Chinese Y.M.C.A.

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**LONDON'S ARMISTICE CELEBRATIONS.**

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**ROYALTY PRESENT.**

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Sunny frosty weather favoured the Armistice Day Celebrations in London.

Their Majesties, the Prince of Wales, the Duke of York and other Royalties, Members of the Cabinet, and representatives of the Dominions participated in the impressive ceremony at the Cenotaph. The two minutes' silence was everywhere scrupulously observed, and the wearing of Flanders' poppies was universal.

In his broadcast appeal, the Prince of Wales yesterday evening urged all to "give a little more than they gave last year."

Other appeals, including those of Earl Haig, evoked a magnificent response. Sellers of poppies started work at midnight outside the House of Commons and the West-End.

**GRIZZLY BEAR. CENSUS.**

A NATIONAL MUSEUM'S EFFORT.

PRINCE RUPERT, Oct. 6th.

One of the strangest attempts at taking a census is now being made, at the request of Harlan I. Smith, of the National Museum of Canada. It is nothing less than a census of the grizzly bear population of some eleven valleys along the fjords which are included in the "Norway of America" traversed on the steamship journey between Prince Rupert and Vancouver.

The coast line between these two ports is a noted big game hunting spot, and attracts many grizzly hunters each year from all sections of the continent as well as from other parts of the world.

Trappers and hunters in this region which is in and about Mackenzie Park, named for the famous adventurer-explorer, have been asked to make a careful record of the number of grizzlies they encounter on their journeys through the forested slopes of the mountains.

This work has been going on for some time and the reports from the "men of the woods" are now in the hands of Mr. Wilsden, who is compiling them and will shortly announce the result.



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## ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATIONS.

### SERVICE AT THE CATHEDRAL.

#### IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY AT THE CENOTAPH.

#### SUCCESSFUL SALE OF POPPIES.

#### AMOUNT COLLECTED FOR EARL HAIG'S FUND EXPECTED TO ESTABLISH A RECORD.

Armistice Day was celebrated in Hong Kong in the customary  
manner yesterday, but the sale of poppies was even more successful  
than usual and it is hoped, when all amounts have been received,  
that a record sum will have been raised this year for Earl Haig's  
Poppy Day Fund.

There was a largely attended service at St. John's Cathedral in  
the morning following which wreaths were placed on the Cathedral  
War Memorial. The scene at the Cenotaph during the two minutes  
silence was very impressive. All the naval and military forces in  
the Colony were represented. H.E. the Officer Administering the  
Government placed a wreath on behalf of the Government and his  
tribute was followed by many others until the base of the Cenotaph  
was one mass of flowers.

In addition to the sales of poppies in the streets there were  
auctions at various clubs and although exact figures are not avail-  
able the following approximate amounts have been realised—

STREET SALES, HONG KONG.....	\$4,200
STREET SALES, KOWLOON.....	\$1,500
U.S.R.C. FETE.....	\$1,200
HONG KONG CLUB AUCTION.....	\$1,530
KOWLOON C.C. AUCTION.....	\$1,100

Even these sums amount to more than half of the total of \$16,000  
obtained last year and as there are many more to come in there is  
little doubt about last year's record being passed.

Armistice Day was, of course, a holiday. All banks and busi-  
ness offices were closed and after mid-day many cricket, golf and  
football matches were played. At Fanling and Kowloon golf courses  
guns were fired to announce the two minutes' silence and play  
ceased. Wreaths were also placed on the Fanling War Memorial.

### AT THE CATHEDRAL.

#### AN IMPRESSIVE SERVICE.

The commemoration service at St. John's Cathedral was largely  
attended. In addition to many members of the general public there  
was a representative gathering of naval and military units, ex-  
service men, and others. The Ex-Service Men's Association was par-  
ticularly strong, and their medals and war ribbons made a brave display.  
The members of the Ex-Active Service Men's Association were  
headed by Lieut.-Col. F. Hayley Bell and the members of the Hong  
Kong Branch of the British Legion by Lieut.-Col. G. K. Hall Brutton.  
The military detachments were from the Queen's Royal Regiment  
and the King's Own Scottish Borderers. There were also Naval  
units, Royal Marines and Royal Air Force detachments.

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government (the Hon. Mr. W.  
T. Southern, C.M.G.) accompanied by his A.D.C., and Capt. Forster  
(Private Secretary), arrived a few minutes before the service began.  
There were also present Mrs. Southern, H.E. the General Officer  
Commanding South China Command (Major-General C. C. Luard,  
C.B., C.M.G.); Col. Sergison-Brooke, and members of the  
Legislative and Executive Councils. The service of dedication and re-  
membrance was conducted by the Rev. H. Copley Moyle, assisted by  
the Rev. N. V. Halyard, the Rev. W. R. Cannell, the Rev. G. F.  
Stopford, C.F., the Rev. G. E. S. Uppell, the Rev. W. Walton Rogers,  
the Rev. C. B. Shana, and the Rev. W. H. Hewitt.

The service opened with the sing-  
ing of the processional hymn "Thy Kingdom Come O God."

#### THE ADDRESS.

The Rev. L. Webb, Chaplain to the Forces, gave the address. For many generations to come, he said, November 11th would be amongst those days which were called and felt to be special. It was very fitting that Christian men and women should congregate in the Churches, or at the War Memorial or Cenotaph to return heartfelt thanks to Almighty God for the renewed blessings of peace and for the example of those who gave us such a wonderful lesson of courage, true manliness, endurance and brotherly love, coupled with ardent loyalty to our Sovereign Lord the King.

We did well and rightly in sound-  
ing a sincere note of gratitude but he fancied that we must have in mind that the dominating note was becoming more and more that of memorial. We were thanking God for those who by their self-sacrifice made peace possible. We were thanking God for what they did

and praying that they might rest in peace in that place where they now were—in the nearer presence of God—and that the Holy Spirit might comfort the hearts of those who mourned their loss.

But would that suffice? The cost was so tremendous; a great peril was past and a whole company had marched from victory to Paradise, and what would the world do? The spirit of love so abundantly shown in our Lord's life was not always in evidence even now. There was much that was loveless, bitter and indifferent—much that was foreign to God's laws and to that magnificent example of com-  
radeship given to the world by those who in life and indeed in the hour of death stood side by side and shared alike.

Should there not be greater care and remembrance of those who were permanently disabled and of those who lost their sight? Should there not be greater care for those on whose breasts were tokens that for God and freedom they stood between us and the enemy. They were suffering to-day and we could help to ease that suffering by giving of those things which they needed. But could we not do even more? To-day, gathered together in this Cathedral Church thinking of these things, must we not give ourselves afresh to God?

To remember these brave souls and to express our thanks in words would not be all that was necessary. Very soon we would take our part with others in that great corporate act of worship when the Empire and many other countries were shocked into silence. What a time, when millions of our fellow beings were praying; to reconsecrate ourselves to God, to resolve that our lives must be more worthy of those we were commemorating. What better way could we find than by service to the Empire they died for.

What better way was there of accomplishing this than for each and everyone to consecrate themselves afresh and then to see to it that the children of to-day were brought up to have a devouring love for their country and their King and to know that the best service they could render the Empire and its Head was to be a race of God-fearing men and women.

Thus, by a realising of our lives to God, might we as an Empire show the world that all the bitter sorrow, all the suffering, all the dreadful waste of young lives, all the sacrifice, privation and endurance, have taught us their lesson and that in the future we are resolved to be a more godly nation than ever before, absolutely deter-  
mined that we will never allow anything to interfere with our duty to our God and our King, but, indeed, in humble gratitude to try

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### AT THE CENOTAPH.

#### A WEALTH OF FLORAL TRIBUTES.

The solemn and dignified ceremony at the Cenotaph at 11 a.m. was witnessed by a great crowd of Europeans and Chinese. Hundreds of people stood behind the police barriers around the memorial, and the verandahs of the Courts of Justice, Hong Kong Club and adjacent office buildings were filled.

H.E. the Officer Administering the Government, in uniform, accompanied by Capt. White, A.D.C. and Capt. Forster, arrived at 10.40 and was joined at the southern position facing the Cenotaph by Sir H. C. Gollan, Sir Joseph Kemp, Sir Shou-sun Chow, the Hon. Mr. C. McI. Messer, the Hon. Mr. E. R. Hallifax, the Hon. Mr. H. T. Jackman, the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, the Hon. Mr. J. Owen Hughes, the Hon. Mr. W. E. L. Shenton, His Honour Mr. Justice J. R. Wood and Mr. R. E. Lindell.

Grouped around the Cenotaph were detachments from Naval and Military units. These included representatives from the Royal Artillery (Heavy Batteries), 4th Light Brigade, Royal Engineers, Royal Signals, Scots Guards, Queen's Royal Regiment, 2nd K.O.S.B., H.K.S. Bde. R.A., R.A.S.C., R.A.M.C., R.A.O.C., R.A.F., 5/2nd Punjabi Regt., and the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps (represented by a detachment from the Scottish Company). There were also present Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, British Legion, Ex-Active Service Men's Association, St. John Ambulance Brigade, representatives of the Foreign Government and Consular Services, the R.A.O.B., Mercantile Marine and Old Comrades' Association of Royal Marines. The parade numbered altogether over 400.

The pipers from the K.O.S.B. were on the Western side of the Cenotaph, the band of the K.O.S.B. on the North and the buglers from the Queen's Royal Regiment on the East side.

Shortly before 11 a.m., the pipers played "Flowers of the Forest," and then buglers sounded the "Last Post." Scarcely had the last note of the bugles died away when the signal gun boomed from Murray Parade Ground denoting the beginning of the two minutes' silence. After the two minutes a second gun was fired. The buglers sounded the "Reveille," and then, led by the band, all present joined in singing "O God Our Help in Ages Past."

#### Wreaths Laid.

H.E. the Governor laid a wreath at the base of the plinth on behalf of the Colonial Government, Col. Hayley Bell and Lieut.-Col. Hall Brutton deposited beautiful wreaths from the Ex-Active Service Men's Association and the British Legion. H.E. the General Officer Commanding (Major-General C. C. Luard, C.B., C.M.G.) and Commodore J. L. Pearson, C.M.G., laid wreaths on behalf of the Army and Navy, and the Royal Air Force added a lovely tribute in the shape of wings surmounted by a Crown. Wreaths were also brought by all the Naval and Military units, by the Mercantile Marine, Boy Scouts, Girl Guides, and others, until the whole base of the Cenotaph was surrounded with flowers.

and copy more faithfully the example of our Master and of those of whom it is truly said: "Their name liveth for evermore."

Kipling's Recessional, followed the address, during which a collection was taken on behalf of St. Dunstan's Hostel for Blind Soldiers and Sailors.

Then came the "Last Post," followed by the "Reveille," the service being concluded with the National Anthem and the Blessing.

#### The War Memorial.

The Choir and Clergy, followed by H.E. the Officer Administering the Government and the congregation, then proceeded to the Cathedral War Memorial, where His Excellency placed a wreath.

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### FLANDERS POPPIES.

#### A BRISK SALE REPORTED.

From an early hour yesterday Flanders Poppy sellers, young and old, were busy on the streets and a brisk sale was done. Every one, as usual, wore a poppy.

There were altogether about 150 ladies selling the token in Hong Kong and Kowloon and they disposed of a stock of some five thousand. Ships which left port just prior to Armistice Day were supplied with poppies and all merchant and passenger ships in port were visited.

When all amounts collected have been received it is expected that the contribution from Hong Kong to Earl Haig's Fund will exceed that of last year, which was about \$18,000. Exact figures could not be stated yesterday, but it was known that the street collection in Hong Kong realised about \$4,200, and in Kowloon \$1,500.

To be added to these sums are the amounts raised by various organisations on behalf of the Fund. As reported yesterday the United Services Club fete yielded \$1,200. An auction at the Hong Kong Club, yesterday morning realised \$1,400. Then there are the contributions from Repulse Bay, Kowloon Dock and Taijoo Dock, who arranged their own collections. In addition fairly substantial sums are expected from the Charity Football match yesterday, the Café Regent Carnival, and the Civil Service Cricket Club, from the Kowloon Cricket Club auction held last night, and from the Victoria Recreation Club Carnival Dance to be held this evening. It seems certain, therefore, that the \$16,000 mark will be easily passed.

The City Hall presented a busy scene yesterday afternoon when bank officials were engaged in counting and checking the collections, assisted by members of the organising committee.

A large number of the Chinese community were to be seen wearing poppies.

#### THE POPPY SELLERS.

The sale of poppies and the collection of funds for Earl Haig's fund for disabled ex-service men, was again organised by a sub-committee of the Hong Kong branch of the British Legion. The Secretary of this Committee was Mr. Arthur Piercy and he was assisted by Mrs. Bond, Messrs. W. Brackenridge, J. E. Hancock, W. Gordon Leask, and G. W. Sewell.

The ladies selling poppies on the Hong Kong side were: Miss Harston and Miss W. Harston; Miss Carothers; Miss Harris-Walker and Miss Joy; Miss Hazland and Miss Stubbs; Miss Gubbay; Mrs. Green; Miss Ellaby; Miss A. Cooke and Miss D. Hynes; Mrs. Blackwell and Miss Jean Blackwell; Mrs. Sheldon; Miss J. Weller; Miss M. Addison and Miss A. Steele; Miss J. Dunnett; Miss Dunn; Mrs. T. E. Pearce and Mrs. Griffin; Mrs. J. Whyte-Smith; Miss E. O'Hagan and Miss B. Steele; Mrs. Cushman; Mrs. Lynch and Mrs. Lewis; Miss P. Hynes; Miss A. Hynes; Miss B. Spencer; Miss D. Horsford; Miss Granfield; Miss D. Booker; and Friend; Miss Fothergill; Mrs. Murdoch and Master Murdoch; Miss Wells and Miss Paget; Mrs. Piercy

and Mrs. Gray; Miss Farrow and Master Piercy; Mrs. Grossman and Mrs. Marcella; Mrs. Chubb and Mrs. Syme Thomson; Mrs. Hornell and Nancy Hornell; Mrs. Sandes and Mrs. Bennett; Mrs. Darby and Mrs. Campbell; Miss Bird; Mrs. D. Day; Mrs. May; Miss Stevenson; Mrs. Egcker and Mrs. Bentley; Mrs. Byrne and Master Byrne; Miss Simpson; Mrs. Alexander; Mrs. Farrar; Miss Burrage and Miss M. Burrage; Miss M. Ho and Miss S. Ho; Miss H. Hunt and Miss T. Choa; Miss E. Rapp and Miss L. Rapp; Miss N. Zimmermann and Miss C. Lam; Miss P. Choa and Miss L. Choa; Mrs. Stephens; Miss Stephens; Miss L. Elias; Miss I. Frith; Miss R. Perry; Miss Foggins; Master Blearley.

#### In Kowloon.

In Kowloon Mrs. F. J. Easterbrook was in charge of the sales and Mr. J. H. Hunt kindly lent the Y.M.C.A. as her Headquarters. She was assisted by Mesdames J. H. Hunt, J. H. Donnanthorne, C. Crofton, and Mr. Easterbrook, Chevalier J. M. Alves, the Rev. G. E. S. Uppell, and Mr. J. F. V. Ribeiro helped to get sellers and the following ladies sold poppies: Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Lual, Mrs. Goodwin, Mrs. Hurley, Mrs. Crofton, Mrs. McCormock, the Misses H. Brewer, E. Wicheil, J. Black, V. Mitchell, J. Sanh, S. Lee, B. Walker, G. White, D. Faulkner, C. Sanh, C. Ribeiro, R. Maxwell, I. Raymond, H. Wylie, D. Smith, I. Remedios, E. Ribeiro, R. Ribeiro, D. Tolan, W. White, V. Lovkovich, D. Hamblin, B. Woods, C. Redwood, E. Calvert, R. Ingram, M. Wicheil, F. Field, B. Spalding, B. Redwood, G. Calvert, P. Hargreave, D. Jan, N. Field, L. Tolan, E. Kinole, I. Kinole, E. Rosario, C. Alves, N. Gill, M. George, W. George, P. George, E. Landolt, N. Gubbay, and K. Murphy.

### AT THE HONG KONG CLUB.

At the Hong Kong Club the customary auction of a Poppy Day poster was held, and subsequently all manner of other articles were put up for sale. As stated the total amount realised was approximately \$1,400.

The auction was conducted by Engineer-Lieut. Commander A. S. Bedalla, who was assisted by Mr. W. Logan, as accountant. The poster was first sold for \$110 and was then re-sold for \$50; and afterwards fetched another \$50. Then followed the auction of other articles. A bottle of Haig's whisky ultimately realised \$90, after being auctioned twice, another bottle realised \$85.

A sovereign, attached to which was a poppy, was offered for auction by a visitor from Shanghai. This realised \$100. Following the auction of a small picture the purchaser insisted upon paying in sterling, namely the sum of £2.

### AT THE KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB.

The usual auction of the Poppy Day poster, together with raffish, took place at the Kowloon Cricket Club last evening. Last year the auction of the poster realised \$400. The total sum realised yesterday was very gratifying, amounting to approximately \$1,100.

(Continued on page 5.)



## ARMISTICE DAY.

(CONTD.)

THE CELEBRATION  
IN LONDON.IMPRESSIVE SCENE AT THE  
CENOTAPH.THE KING AND PRINCES  
PRESENT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Receiv. Nov. 11th.

The great crowd that assembles in Whitehall on Armistice Day is like no other crowd that London knows throughout the year. It assembles and stands in silence and its perfect quietness is a measure of deep emotions which are stirred in British hearts and which are mellowed but undiminished by the passage of nine years.

In the early hours of this morning people began to gather near the Cenotaph which had already been loaded with wreaths sent by British communities overseas as far distant as Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Rhodesia and long before service began Whitehall was again a mass of un-mov'ing and noiseless humanity.

The same simple ceremonial as in previous years was followed.

Ten minutes before it began, the King arrived and stood between his sons in hollow square around the Cenotaph formed by service and ex-service detachments. He stepped forward laid his wreath at the base of the Cenotaph, after which others were laid by Princes, members of the Government, representatives of the Services and from Overseas.

Then with the firing of signals came two minutes' silence.

As it ended, the bugle notes of "Last Post" sounded and then the crowd, led by choirs and massed Guards' bands, sang "O God our Help."

The service ended with the National Anthem.

Then began the long and reverent pilgrimage to the Cenotaph by patient queues of peoples to lay their wreaths at its base.

Meanwhile, a service had been held at the tomb of the Unknown Warrior in Westminster Abbey and in innumerable churches throughout the country.

Throughout the whole Empire and in British communities abroad silence was observed. This year for the first time Canberra, the new capital of Australia, was the scene of the Australian celebration.

## The "Old Contemptibles."

A party of more than 200 members of the "Old Contemptibles" Association, members of the original British Expeditionary Force in the Great War, observed two minutes' silence to-day at the spot where they first came into contact with the Germans during the war. Thus yearly, since the armistice nine years ago, representatives of British soldiers who were in the Battle of Mons, have commemorated it on the spot they themselves made famous.

## The Sale Of Poppies.

Everywhere in Britain, as in many other parts of the Empire, Flanders' poppies, sold to aid the funds of the British Legion, were worn in remembrance of those who survived the war only to suffer in death and misfortune from its effects.

Last night the Prince of Wales, in a moving speech, appealed for this cause. He mentioned that the sale of poppies which in the first year—1921—had produced £100,000 had risen annually until last year £435,000 was given. This year he asked for £500,000.

The poppies are made at a special factory where only disabled ex-servicemen are employed.

To-night, during the remembrance festival in the Albert Hall, the Prince of Wales will give a short address, which will be relayed throughout the Empire by short-wave telephony. The United States will also attempt to intercept and relay speech.

(Armistice Day Dinner on page 3.)

THE MERCHANT  
VOLUNTEERS.MOVEMENT TO BE  
REVIVED.RECOGNITION BY CANTON  
AUTHORITIES.

[FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

Troop transports are coming into Canton Harbour daily and to prevent bandits entering under guise of military units, the Water Police have been instructed to observe closely all arrivals. A large force is expected from Swatow.

After being under a ban for three years the merchants' volunteer movement is again being recognised by the Authorities. The people are to be encouraged to defend their own communities, and a meeting of representatives of village and towns will shortly be called to consider a scheme for re-organising local militia to supplement the Military and Police for the preservation of public peace and order in the Province.

The merchants volunteers were once very powerful and they did a great deal to put down brigandage and piracy. For a time the volunteers had an armed strength of 130,000 in 83 different districts of Kwangtung under the chief command of Mr. Chan Lim Pak, a former president of Canton General Chamber of Commerce. This splendid organisation was forcibly disbanded on October 13th, 1924, by order of the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen.

General Chiang Kai Shek has arrived at Shanghai and will attend the Central Executive Committee meeting of the Kuomintang when it is held there. He arrived at Shanghai on Thursday accompanied by a following of eleven.

Mr. L. C. Lee having expressed a desire to resign from the position of Commissioner of Industry, Mr. Poon Tat Ming, of the Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Company is being mentioned as his probable successor. Mr. Poon is well-known in Canton and Hong Kong as the advertising manager for the Nanyang Brothers Company. He has also interested himself in philanthropic work and was for a time a director of the Orphanage at Fati, Canton.

Mr. Kan Nei Kuang, a member of the Kuomintang Central Executive Committee, assumed his new duties as acting Mayor of Canton on November 10th.

Proprietors of shops may work any time they like upon their own premises, according to a new ruling of the Commissioner of Agriculture and Labour in Canton. For the last two years, since the ascendancy of the labour leaders, working hours have been regulated by union order.

HONG KONG CHINESE  
NEWSPAPERS.

To-day, November 12th, no Chinese newspaper belonging to the Hong Kong Chinese Press Association will be issued. The proprietors granted a holiday to the workers in honour of the Armistice Day yesterday. To-day is the anniversary of the birth of the late Dr. Sun Yat Sen.

CANTON STUDENTS IN  
HONG KONG.

GUESTS OF S' CHINA A.A.

VISIT TO TAIKOO DOCK.

Mr. Lee Hysan, president of the South China Athletic Association, was host at tiffin yesterday to the 1929 Class of the Chungshan University of Canton who are now visiting the Colony for educational purposes. The students have come as the guests of the South China Athletic Association.

Through the courtesy of Mr. K. E. Greig, manager of the Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering Company, the young men and women from Canton had the privilege of inspecting the ship-building yards at Taikoo on Thursday afternoon. This (Saturday) morning they will visit the University of Hong Kong. During their stay here Mr. Lee Hysan, of Lee Gardens and the Lee Theatre, has given them free entrance to these places of amusement.

REFORMS NEEDED  
IN CHINA.WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEM-  
PERANCE UNION.MEMBERS WANT MONOGAMY  
ENFORCED.

A CANTON SPEAKER'S VIEW.

A dinner was held at the Union Club on Sunday by the Women's Christian Temperance Union of China to celebrate its fifth anniversary. There was a large, mixed gathering of Chinese and foreigners with two-thirds of the seats occupied by Chinese ladies. The dining hall was decorated with scrolls drawing attention to the mottoes of the society.

Mme. Cheng, an old friend of Dr. Sun Yat Sen when the latter was airing his revolutionary views in Honolulu, presided. In her opening address of welcome she referred to the record of the Women's Christian Temperance Union of China for the past five years, and expressed satisfaction that to-day the society has already acquired the site for a new building, has established an orphanage with facilities for industrial training, and has before it a very practical programme consisting of three resolutions: (a) That within three years China will rid herself of the opium-curse; (b) That the beggars of Shanghai be gathered together and given a suitable turning-point in life in an asylum specially created to meet their needs; and (c) That monogamy be rigidly enforced as an inviolable law of the land.

## The Beggar Evil In Shanghai.

Mrs. Herman C. E. Liu, General Secretary of the Society, furnished in the course of an eloquent address further details of the work of the Women's Christian Temperance Union. "In ten years at the most," said Mrs. Liu, "we hope that monogamy will be rigidly enforced throughout China as an inviolable law. We are opposed to the opium evil because it undermines the happiness of our homes."

## Emancipation Of Women.

Miss Li of the Women's Department of the Shanghai Branch of the Kuomintang expressed the full sympathy and pledged the full support of the party for the reforms contemplated by the society. She regretted to find that the campaign for the emancipation of women in China was still in its infancy but she would promise great changes in the activities along efficient channels, pointing with pride to the prominence already enjoyed by women in governmental circles.

Mr. W. K. Chung, President of the Lingnan University (formerly known as the Canton Christian College), speaking in humorous vein, referred to the respective functions that men and women must respectively perform in effecting social reforms; the women were good in carrying out negative policies while the men excelled in positive policies. He feared that the women would fight a single-handed battle by trying to stop cohabitation for the men will most likely be reluctant to give a helping hand.

CHINESE Y.M.C.A. AND  
Y.W.C.A.

A WEEK OF PRAYER.

[FROM OUR CHINESE CORRESPONDENT.]

Beginning to-morrow the Chinese Y.M.C.A. and the Chinese Y.W.C.A. of Hong Kong will hold a week of prayer, as directed by the International Committees of these worldwide organisations.

Both of these Associations will hold important meetings this evening and to-morrow evening to promote devotion to home life. Several leading Chinese residents of Hong Kong will speak at a meeting to be held in the Chinese Y.M.C.A. auditorium.

Among the speakers will be Mrs. Wong Kwok Suen, wife of the president of the National Savings and Commercial Bank. She herself is president of the Chinese Y.W.C.A. Dr. Yeung Siu Chuen, president of the anti-Muttsai Society of Hong Kong, will also speak.

Beginning this evening, the Boys' Department of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. will start a campaign to enrol 1,000 boy members. The Association has now 500 boys and it wishes to double the number. This evening the "boys" and their elder friends will attend at banquet to talk over how to win boys into the Association. Scoutmaster Lee Wai Choy will address the boys; and four of them have been selected to head four teams to compete for the largest number of boys enrolled. The boys selected are Chiu Fan Yin, Kwok Mok Hoi, Chang Siu Tong, and Yip Fu Tse.

HONG KONG  
PENSIONS.

AMENDMENT OF RULES.

NURSING SISTERS.

It is announced in the Government Gazette that the regulations regarding pensions have been amended by the addition of the following clause.

A European nursing sister or matron, who has served not less than 3 years in the Colony, and not less than 15 years in all as a qualified nursing sister or matron in the public service or in a public hospital, in the Colony or elsewhere, to which she was appointed by the Colonial Government or through the Overseas Nursing Association and who would not otherwise be entitled to a pension, gratuity or other retiring allowance under the provisions of this Minute, may be granted on her ultimate retirement a retiring allowance calculated at the rate of 3s. 4d. per annum for each month of her service in the Colony.

Such total service need not be continuous.

Provided that the above mentioned minimum total service of 15 years shall be reduced to 10 years in the case of a European nursing sister or matron who is compelled by ill-health, not caused by her own misconduct, to relinquish her Colonial employment.

Provided further that, except in the case of retirement on account of illness, no such retiring allowance shall be payable until the nursing sister or matron reaches the age of 60; and provided further that the grant of such retiring allowance shall be dependent on the production to the satisfaction of the Secretary of State of certificates of satisfactory service in respect of each period of total qualifying service, and that the total retiring allowance drawn by the nursing sister or matron in respect of service as aforesaid in the Colony and elsewhere shall not exceed the amount of pension which she would have drawn if her whole service had been on the pensionable establishment of the Colony.

These provisions will apply to all European nursing sister and matrons in the service of the Government of the Colony on or at any time after January 1st, 1928.

## PENSIONS FORFEITED.

The Pension Regulations are further amended by the deletion of clause 24 and the substitution of the following therefor:—

If any person to whom a pension has been or may be granted under this Minute is convicted before any Court in His Majesty's dominions or elsewhere of any crime or offence for which he is sentenced to death, or penal servitude, or any term of imprisonment with hard labour, or any term of imprisonment of any other kind exceeding twelve months, or if any such person becomes bankrupt, then in every such case, such pension shall in each case so determined, be forfeited as from the date of such conviction or bankruptcy.

If any question arises as to the competency of any Court, or as to whether any sentence imposed comes within the intendment of the foregoing paragraph then the decision of the Governor-in-Council thereon shall be final and conclusive.

Provided always that any pension so ceasing shall be restored with retrospective effect in the case of a person who after conviction at any time receives a free pardon. For the purpose of this clause the enduring of the punishment to which any person has been or may be sentenced shall not be deemed to be or to have the effect of a free pardon.

And provided further that where any pension ceases for any reason aforesaid the Secretary of State for the Colonies or, if the pensioner is resident in the Colony then the Governor-in-Council with the approval of the Secretary of State may cause all or any part of the moneys to which the pensioner would have been entitled by way of pension, during the remainder of such pensioner's life or during any shorter period or periods either continuous or discontinuous, to be paid to or applied for the benefit of all or any exclusive of the others of the dependents of the pensioner, and the pensioner himself if and when his sentence, if any as aforesaid, shall have expired, in such proportions, if there be more than one recipient or beneficiary, and manner and subject to such conditions, qualifications and restrictions as the Secretary of State or the Governor-in-Council with such approval as aforesaid, as the case may be, may be fit to direct and impose. Any such directions, conditions, qualifications and restrictions may in like manner be revised, altered, added to or withdrawn at any time and from time to time.

In this clause "pension" includes any periodical or deferred gratuity or allowance granted under this Minute.

## ST. PETER'S CLUB FETE.

THIS AFTERNOON'S ATTRAC-  
TIONS.JAZZ MUSIC, DANCING, CON-  
CERTS AND NOVEL STALLS.

The Garden Fete, organised by the St. Peter's Church Young Men's Club in aid of funds for the promotion of a new division of St. John Ambulance Brigade and funds for the repair of the St. Peter's Church and a Christmas treat to the inmates of the Kowloon Blind Home for Girls, is to be held this afternoon in the Club grounds at No. 1, Oakland Path.

The members of St. Peter's Club have been working very assiduously to give the public a thoroughly good time. One of the principal items is the concert by the "Y-Pans." Others who will assist are Mr. G. W. C. Burnett (recitations), Miss Ho, who will give an exhibition of the latest dancing; Mrs. R. Sanger, Mr. C. D. Wright, Miss C. Braga, Mrs. Mather, and Lieut.-Comdr. A. S. Bedelle, R.N.

Mrs. W. T. Southorn will officially open the fete. She will be met by the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, and subsequently will inspect the 5th Hong Kong Troops of Boy Scouts.

The various stalls should give a splendid opportunity for doing some Christmas shopping. Among the stall-holders and other helpers are:

Kicking the Football:—Messrs. E. Zimmers and Birtwistle.

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Slippery Sam:—Messrs. Conrade, A. Lea and C. W. Mitchell.

Coconut Shy:—Messrs. Edge and C. Lea.

Rifle Range:—Mr. C. A. Grimes.

Toy Stall:—Mrs. Earle, Mrs. Shellshear and the Misses F. Wong, H. Yuen, H. Surl and Mr. S. Jenyns.

Sweet Stall:—Misses B. Yuen, B. Santos, H. and E. Kew, D. Ellis and Mr. A. E. Perry.

Lucky Ring:—Misses E. Samy, L. Mackenzie, R. Randall and Mr. J. M. Shroff.

Hoopla:—Mr. P. Sands, Mrs. Hunt, Miss Hunt and Mr. Dormer.

Flower Stall:—Mrs. G. W. Griggs, Miss Clark, Mrs. Millar, Miss Leonard, Miss Grimes and Mr. Allan Ng Kin.

Guessing Competition:—Mr. W. M. Gittins, Misses J. and G. Ho Tung, the Misses I. Gittins, I. Rapp, K. Rapp and Nancy Leong.

Gold Fish Stall:—Miss C. Hamson, Miss See Chin and the Misses Fox.

Fish Pond:—Mr. E. Luscombe and Mr. John Lang.

Squares Stall:—Miss W. Cheung, Miss H. Hunt, Miss Gutierrez and Messrs. A. and S. Cheung.

Twenty Cents Stall:—Mrs. D. Fok and Misses N. Zimmers, E. Sue, B. Sue, L. Sue, W. Sue and Mr. W. Sue.

Flower Pot Competition:—Mr. F. Grose and Mr. E. Ho Kwong.

Clock Golf:—Mr. H. M. Kew, Miss D. Fung and Mr. F. Zimmers.

The Refreshment Stall will be in the hands of Miss Ruby Mow Fung. She will be assisted by Misses M. White, M. Woolley, M. Kacker, P. Hynes, E. Atkins, Wise, L. MacKenzie, E. Rodgers, Maude White, K. Grose, Doris Leung, Minnie Lee, Buckland, E. See Chin, B. Chon, I. Rodgers, I. Grose, A. Hynes, R. Cole, B. Pope, R. White, V. MacKenzie, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Thomas, and Messrs. James Kotewall, Cooper, J. Barrow, J. Bradeley, G. S. Ladd, S. Chenalloy, V. A. Shaw, W. A. Zimmers, A. Randall, S. C. Ho, Geo. Kotewall and H. G. Kew.

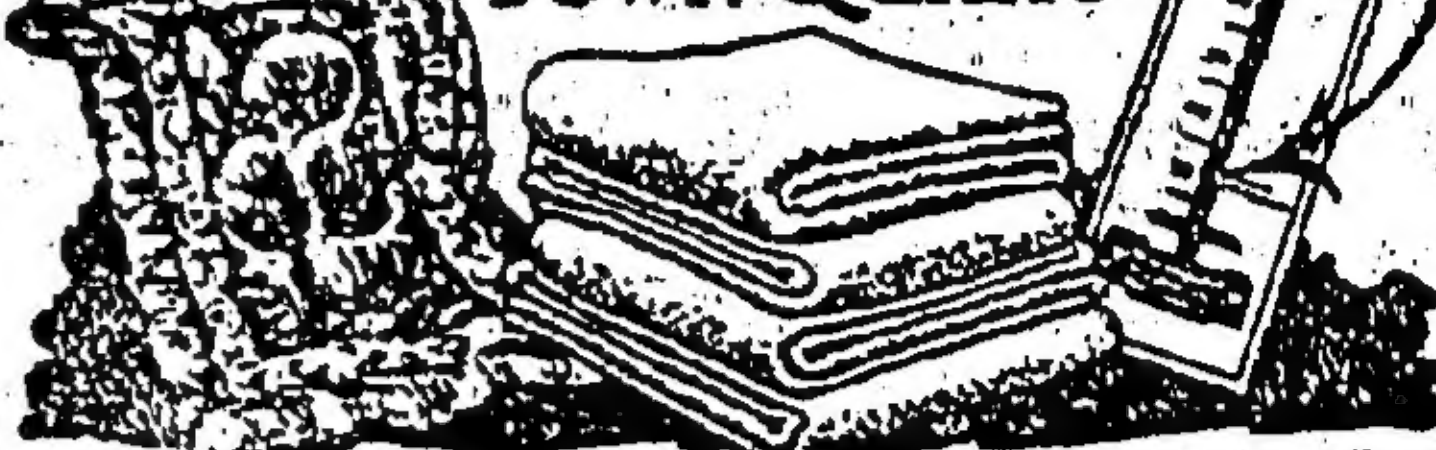
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Other helpers include Mr. G. W. R. Griggs, Mr. Millar, Mr. J. M. Shroff, who were responsible for the erection and construction of the various stalls; Misses Leppard and M. Lea will have charge of the sale of Golliwogs. The Sale of the Cupids will be in charge of Miss P. Hunt. The Miscellaneous Stall will be managed by Misses M. Yuen, B. Wong, D. Lopes, R. Wong, A. Gutierrez, and Messrs. E. Cunningham and J. Way.

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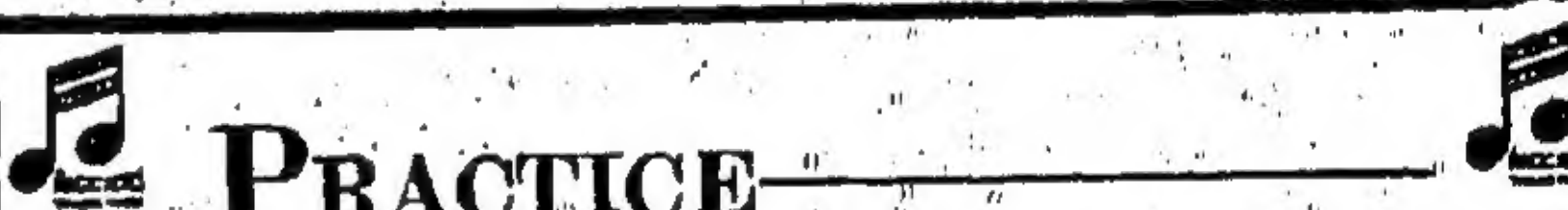
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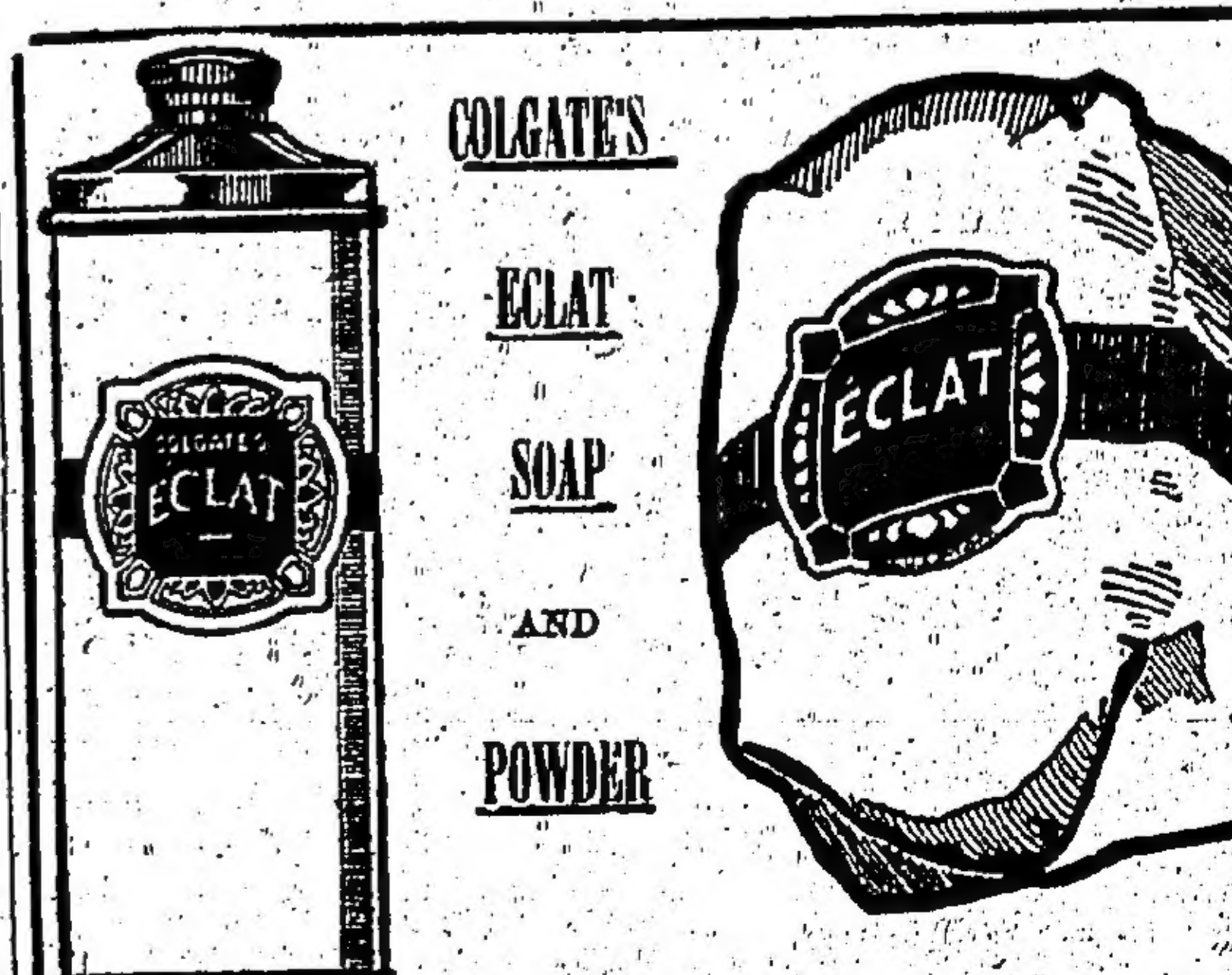
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## INTIMATIONS.

## HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

DRAFT Programmes and Entry  
Forms for the EIGHTH EXTRA  
RACE MEETING to be held on  
SATURDAY, 25th NOVEMBER, 1927  
(Weather Permitting), may be obtained  
at the RACE COURSE, HONG KONG CLUB  
and OLIVERWAY BAY STABLES.  
Entries will CLOSE at 12 O'CLOCK  
NOON on TUESDAY, 14th NOVEM-  
BER, 1927. [5518]HONG KONG HORTICULTURAL  
SOCIETY.THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEET-  
ING of the MEMBERS of the  
above Society will be held on TUES-  
DAY, 29th NOVEMBER, 1927, at  
5.15 P.M., in the Board Room of Messrs.  
JAMES, MATTHEWS & CO., LTD.  
All Ladies and Gentlemen interested  
in Horticulture, whether Members of  
the Society or not, are cordially invited  
to attend.

## AGENDA.

To receive and pass the Committee's  
Report and Statement of Accounts for  
the period ended 30th June, 1927.  
To elect Officers and a New Com-  
mittee for the Current Year.  
To fix the Date of the Annual Flower  
Show.To discuss any matter of interest  
to Horticulturists in Hong Kong and  
Outlying Districts.E. B. C. HORNELL,  
Hon. Secretary,  
Hong Kong, 5th Nov., 1927. [5503]

## FANLING HUNT.

DRAFT PROGRAMMES, and  
ENTRY FORMS for the  
AUTUMN MEETING to be held on  
SATURDAY, 3rd DECEMBER, 1927  
(Weather Permitting), may be obtained  
from Dr. F. PIERCE GROVE, The Polo  
Club, HONG KONG CLUB, and CAR-  
WAY BAY STABLES.Entries will CLOSE at NOON,  
SATURDAY, 18th NOVEMBER, 1927.  
[5513]

## BIRTHS.

LOCKHART.—On Friday, November  
4th, in London, after an opera-  
tion, EVELYN KAME ("Eve"),  
aged nine years and four  
months, the beloved daughter  
of GRACE and W. BRUCE  
LOCKHART.McGROWN.—On November 8th, at  
St. Haskell Road, Shanghai,  
to Mr. and Mrs. JAMES J.  
McGROWN, a son, JAMES JOSEPH.  
[5510]Hong Kong Office: 11, Ice House  
Street.  
London Office: 21, Bride Lane,  
Fleet Street, E.C. 4.

## The Daily Press.

HONG KONG, NOVEMBER 12th, 1927

ARMISTICE DAY COLLEC-  
TIONS.A few weeks ago readers of the  
Daily Press were writing to this  
paper regarding the form which  
the celebration of Armistice Day  
should take. Opinions were sharply  
divided, as they are bound to be  
in this generation whilst so many  
who took part in, or suffered as a  
result of, the war are still with us.One correspondent wrote that as  
year succeeds year we should feel  
less and less desire to make merry  
on November 11th. The feeling of  
solemnity and awe induced by the  
Great Silence should not, he  
thought, wear away so quickly that  
we are willing, within a few hours,  
to don a false nose and beat upon a  
toy drum at a garden fete or mid-  
night carnival. The poppy that we  
bought in the morning should not  
be discarded and forgotten at sun-  
down. That is the one point of  
view. The other was presented by  
a second correspondent, who sug-  
gested, with some force and sin-  
cerity, that to make Armistice Day  
anything other than a day of rejoic-  
ing would be to change the very  
meaning of the splendid anniver-  
sary. "I know of no friend of  
mine," he wrote, "lying now in  
France or on Gallipoli who would  
have me mournful on that day, nor  
would I have others so were I  
lying in his stead. He would hate,  
I think, as I do, this morbid spirit  
which, like some parasite plant,  
endeavours to fasten its tentacles  
into our tree of Recollection andto sap the gladness out of it—change  
its green leaves to grey and wither  
its flowers."We shall never reconcile these  
widely differing opinions so that it  
is useless to make the attempt.The matter is one which must be  
left to the individual. There are  
probably some, who have suffered  
deeply, who find it impossible to  
rejoice on Armistice Day and who  
are so constituted that any sign of  
public rejoicing on that anniversary  
is repugnant to them. We believe  
that these are a very small minority,  
but even so we can respect their  
feelings and regret the pain which  
the general holiday and merry-  
making inflict. It is certain that  
as the years pass and memory  
fades the day will become much  
more of a holiday festival than it  
is now.But in the meantime we can meet  
in one sense on common ground.  
There can only be cause for satis-  
faction in the reflection that the  
day produces in a hundred and one  
different ways substantial sums of  
money which can be used to increase  
the comfort and brighten the lives  
of thousands who were maimed or  
injured in the war, and are still in  
our hospitals. It is beside the  
point to urge that the methods  
of realising this money are wasteful  
and extravagant, and that if each  
did his duty far greater sums would  
be forthcoming without the need  
for special appeal or organised at-  
tractions. We are practical enough  
to know that such amounts would  
not be obtained in any other way.In this particular case the ends  
certainly justify the means. We  
may, therefore, regard it as a mat-  
ter of sincere congratulation that  
Hong Kong is likely to beat the  
record it established last year and  
will be able to send Home nearly  
£2,000 to help those who did, so  
much for others and are now unable  
to help themselves.

## INTIMATIONS.

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## HONG KONG.

The Criminal Sessions for Novem-  
ber will open at the Supreme Court  
on Monday, November 21st.The public examination in bank-  
ruptcy of Mr. Francisco Xavier  
dos Remedios will take place at  
the Supreme Court on Saturday,  
November 19th. [5511]The Home mail from Europe  
was very heavy yesterday. It con-  
sisted of nearly 600 bags including  
over 100 bags of letters and papers  
from the United Kingdom.The properties which were report-  
ed stolen from the Italian Convent  
Chapel at St. Francis Yard, have  
been recovered in a Wanchai Pawn-  
shop. No arrest has been made.Mr. William Jackson has been  
appointed a lay member of the  
Church Body of St. John's Catho-  
dral, until the next annual meeting  
of seafarers and subscribers, vice  
Mr. J. A. E. Bullock.The proprietor of the Yee Hing  
Jewellery Shop at 107, Wing Lok  
Street, made a report to the Police  
yesterday that on Thursday night,  
some thieves cut away a glass in  
his show window and stole from the  
show-case 21 watches, valued at  
\$150.A capital variety entertainment  
was given by the "Thracians" at  
the Royal Naval Canteen Theatre  
last evening. It was the debut of  
the party in Hong Kong. They  
repeat their concert this evening.  
A part of the proceeds from each  
performance are decided to charity.Draft programme and entry  
forms for the Autumn Meeting of  
the Fanling Hunt, to be held on  
December 3rd, are now ready, and  
can be obtained from Dr. F. Pierce  
Grove, The Polo Club, Hong Kong  
Club and Causeway Bay Stables.  
Entries close at noon on Saturday,  
November 18th.Mr. and Mrs. J. Mowbray Jones  
celebrate their silver wedding-day to-  
day (Saturday). Mr. J. Mowbray Jones  
is the manager for Messrs. W. A.  
Hannibal & Co., in Canton. Mrs.  
Jones is the sister of Mr. Leo  
d'Almeida Castro, the well-known  
solicitor. The marriage took place  
in Hong Kong, Mr. Norman  
Ferreira, barrister-at-law, acting as  
"best man."Major F. C. Roberts, V.C.,  
D.S.O., M.C., of the South China  
Command, will deliver a lecture to  
the Volunteers at Volunteer Head-  
quarters on Monday, at 5.30 p.m.  
The lecture will be of a confidential  
nature, but the subject and the dis-  
cussion, which will follow, are ex-  
pected to be of great interest to all  
members of the Volunteer Corps,  
past or present, and to whatever  
unit they may belong.Among the passengers who arriv-  
ed from Shanghai by the P. & O.  
liner, *Alcedonia* yesterday morning  
were the members of Mr. Charles  
Chamier's London Vaudeville Co.,  
who open a season in the Star  
Theatre on Sunday with "Hey!  
Hey!" During its visit to the  
Colony the company will present a  
number of light revues which will  
include new songs, new dances and  
new sketches. Miss Aileen Woods  
will appear with the Chamier Com-  
pany and should prove an addi-  
tional source of strength to this  
clever group of entertainers. Mr.  
Charles Mason has proved an out-  
standing success in comedy parts  
during the tour in North China and  
Japan.

## APPOINTMENTS GAZETTED.

Notification of the following ap-  
pointments appeared in the Govern-  
ment Gazette on Thursday:Dr. J. T. Smalley to act as  
Principal Civil Medical Officer,  
until further notice.The promotion of Capt. H. E.  
L. Dowbiggin to the rank of  
Major in the Hong Kong Volun-  
teer Defence Corps, with effect  
from November 8th.Lieut.-Col. and Brevet-Colonel  
J. S. Bostock, C.B.E., R.A.M.C.,  
to be a member of the Sanitary  
Board for a term of three years,  
vice Lieut.-Col. S. Boylan-Smith,  
D.S.O., O.B.E., R.A.M.C.Mr. Tso Seen Wan, LL.D., to  
be a member of the Sanitary  
Board for a further term of three  
years with effect from November  
15th.Dr. W. V. M. Koch to be a  
member of the Licensing Board  
for a period of three years with  
effect from November 15th.THE ESCAPED  
PRISONERS.INCREASED REWARD FOR  
INFORMATION.

## SEARCH OF THE COLONY.

## DESCRIPTION OF THE MEN.

No official statement has yet been  
made with respect to the escape of  
the four prisoners from Victoria  
Gaol on Thursday and there is still  
a certain amount of mystery regard-  
ing the way in which the escape  
was effected. It is generally ac-  
cepted, however, that the prisoners  
scaled the lowest part of the wall  
which overlooks a small lane run-  
ning into Staunton Street, near the  
site of the old Lusitano Club.Up to yesterday evening none of  
the prisoners had been re-captured.  
A systematic search of the whole  
of the Colony was carried out  
during Thursday night and yester-  
day. Two of the men who escaped  
had been long inmates of the gaol  
and were well known by sight to  
several of the European warders.  
These officers were despatched in  
plain clothes to Aberdeen, Shan-  
kwan and other likely places in the  
hope that they might pick-up a  
trail, but as far as is known they  
have been unsuccessful.A reward of \$100 was at first  
offered for anyone giving informa-  
tion which would lead to the arrest  
of the prisoners, and this reward  
has now been increased to \$250.An official enquiry will be held  
concerning the escape of the men  
in due course.Yesterday, Mr. J. W. Franks  
(Superintendent of Prisons) con-  
firmed the report that one of the  
men was concerned in 1924 with  
another convict in an attempt to  
break out of prison by digging a  
tunnel from their cell towards  
Chancery Lane. The convict in  
question had only two years, to  
serve to complete a sentence of  
seven years' hard labour.The finding of the parcel of  
clothes in the yard of the gaol was  
the first intimation the officials had  
that prisoners had escaped. It  
seems certain that the men had  
friends outside assisting them, and  
that these were waiting on the  
other side of the wall in Chancery  
Lane with clothing.From the information available it  
would appear that the prisoners  
had about an hour's start before  
the alarm was raised.

## Prisoners' Description.

The description of the four  
escaped prisoners is as follows:—  
Chao Chun Chau, physically a  
good specimen, round face, with a  
big wart or mole, short hair. A  
native of Kwang Chow Wan. He  
was sentenced to ten years' im-  
prisonment under the Arms Ordi-  
nance in connection with a robbery  
in 1924, and had served four years  
of his sentence.Ho Yiu, aged 24. Tall. Short  
hair. A native of the Tung Koon  
district. He had previously served  
a term of six years' imprisonment  
for returning to Hong Kong after  
being banished, and was serving  
a further term, for robbery, and  
entered the gaol on September 8th,  
this year.Lee Shu Kee, aged 30. Tall and  
of good physique. Short hair. He  
was serving a term of seven years'  
imprisonment for robbery and was  
put in prison in 1924.Lee Pin, the fourth man, was  
serving a sentence of two months  
for a minor offence, a breach of his  
convict's licence.

## WEATHER REPORT.

The weather report, issued by the  
Observatory at 10.40 a.m. yester-  
day, stated:—A new anti-cyclone is  
forming over N. China. Moderate  
to fresh monsoon may be expected  
along the S.E. coast of China and  
over the China Sea.Local Forecast:—N.E. winds,  
moderate, fair.The report, issued from the Ob-  
servatory yesterday evening at 6.20,  
stated:—An anti-cyclone has form-  
ed over N. China. Moderate to  
fresh monsoon may be expected  
along the S.E. coast of China and  
over the China Sea.Forecast:—N.E. winds, moderate,  
fine.BRITAIN'S FOREIGN  
POLICY.THE PREMIER'S GUILDHALL  
SPEECH.

## FURTHER DETAILS.

## [BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Roose, Nov. 10th.

In accordance with usual prac-  
tice the Prime Minister devoted a  
large part of his speech at the  
Guildhall banquet last night to a  
review of foreign affairs.He said that Britain, France,  
Germany and Italy, the protagon-  
ists in the struggle of yesterday,  
now met as equals and partners  
to advance the cause of peace  
and our common civilisation. He  
claimed for his country, and for  
its Government some share in this  
great work of appeasement and of  
reconciliation. But those for whom  
difficulties were greatest and to  
whom therefore the greatest credit  
is due are those persons living in  
France and Germany who have  
rendered this rapprochement pos-  
sible. All Europe honour them  
and pay tribute to the services  
which they have rendered not only  
to Europe but to humanity. They  
have lit a candle, they have set an  
example and all Europe looks to-  
wards those other frontiers whose  
ancient enmities are still unquench-  
ed and where the ashes of old  
quarrels, old fears, suspicions and  
hatred still smoulder. All Europe  
asks where next will statesmen be  
found with the courage and breadth  
of vision of Dr. Stresemann and the  
broad humanity and devotion  
to peace of M. Briand. What coun-  
try in the Balkans, in Central or  
Eastern Europe will be the first to  
follow their example and to earn  
like fame? I am an idealist and  
therefore an optimist. Where the  
road is so clearly marked, I refuse  
to believe that progress is beyond  
our reach.

## Russia's Interference.

Mr. Baldwin said he wished he  
could speak equally hopefully of  
Russia, with which the Government  
had ceased diplomatic relations in  
circumstances similar to those  
which dictated the recent decision  
of the Trade Union Congress and  
jeopardised the continuance of  
diplomatic relations between France  
and Russia and had prevented the  
United States from attempting  
such relations. With the domestic  
affairs of Russia, Britain had no  
concern. Whenever they were pre-  
pared to observe the ordinary de-  
cencies of international inter-  
course, to abstain from interference  
in Britain's domestic affairs and  
from a policy of intrigue, they  
(Continued on next Column.)

## China And Egypt.

After a passing reference to  
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record any serious improvement  
and where as none of the numerous  
contending factions could be re-  
cognised as the paramount govern-  
ment of the country Britain must  
abide by the principles laid down  
in the Memorandum of a year ago,  
the Prime Minister referred to the  
late visit of King Fuad of Egypt  
and more recent visit of Egypt's  
Prime Minister. He proceeded:  
The "British Government have  
availed themselves of these visits to  
discuss fully with His Excellency  
the relations of our two countries.  
Both have reason to be satisfied,  
with the course of these conversa-  
tions. We hope that they have laid  
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ney of the Minister for War to  
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garded as the reciprocal effort by  
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Conference of the last year.

## TWEEDLEDEE TO TWEEDLEDAM.

Dear Tweedledam,—Time really  
is talking very clearly  
Of winter's signals, as the year grows old;  
But as our climate's tropical,  
Of course it isn't topical.  
Nor British, to admit one might feel cold!The best thing for rejection  
Of chill is the selection  
Of some debating club to keep us warm;  
No bills for electricity  
Or coal would dim felicity  
With speech aglow on welded calm—and storm!What blaze, too, of emotion  
Awakes with the devotion  
Our London brothers pay to Eastern youth!  
I do hope nationalities  
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Like George the Great, speak nothing but the truth!Such things arouse one's gratitude  
To Nature, for the platitude  
She practises, in dearth of matter grey,—  
As, far from gush ecstatic,  
Or phrases diplomatic,  
We "tread the noiseless tenor" of our way.No tinted odours hurry us,  
No lives ancestral worry us,  
In things descriptive, one need never give  
Those tactful designations  
That stamp our observations,—  
But—said the scribe—by viewpoint do we live!E.g.—Victorian seasons  
Upheld such childish reasons  
For choice in leaders clerical!—Men thought  
Theology and learning  
Came first in stipend earning,  
Instead of proud efficiency in Sport!Don't think I feel elation  
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By these remarks!—They sound well, don't you see!  
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TWEEDLEDEE

## THE "RED ROSE."

FORCED LANDING IN  
MESOPOTAMIA.

## ARRIVES AT BUSRA.

## [THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Baghdad, Nov. 10th.

The light aeroplane *Red Rose*,  
which is on her way from England  
to Australia, has had a forced  
landing owing to magnetic trouble,  
on the site of the ancient Ur of the  
Chaldees.R.A.F. machines have left here  
with mechanics to carry out neces-  
sary repairs.At Busra,  
BUSRAH, Nov. 11th.  
The *Red Rose* has arrived.

## R.A.F. FLYING BOATS.

## ARRIVAL AT BASRA.

## [THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Basra, Nov. 10th.

The four R.A.F. flying-boats,  
which are on their way from  
Southampton to Singapore, and  
afterwards to Australia, have  
arrived here.would find her ready to meet them  
in that spirit of liberality and  
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TWEEDLEDEE



FENGTIENESE CLAIM TO HAVE FULLY  
60,000 TROOPS IN NORTH SHANSI.HOLDING THE RAILWAY AND MARCHING ON TO  
SHANSI'S CAPITAL.NORTHERNERS ALSO CLAIM TO HAVE ENTERED  
KAIFENG.CONSIDERABLE UNEASINESS STILL  
BEING FELT IN HANKOW.WHAT THE FENGTIENESE  
CLAIM.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEKING, November 11th.

The Ankuochun claim to have captured Kweihsui, at the extremity of the Peking Suiyuan Railway.

There are now more than 60,000 Fengtienese troops in North Shansi holding the whole railway with Hwaijen, the furthestmost town. They are occupied on a march to Taiyuanfu.

A message received by the Cabinet to-day from Chan Tsung Chan states that the Chihli-Shantung troops are north of the Yellow River, which they had crossed and had entered Kaifeng cutting off the Kuomintang retreat. But there is no confirmation obtainable of this report.

## UNEASINESS AT HANKOW.

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

HANKOW, Nov. 10th.

The situation is obscure, but there is, undoubtedly, considerable uneasiness among the Chinese population. Tang Seng Chi, Yang Sen and Wu Pei-fu appear to have come to some agreement between themselves and probably also with the Northern forces. An emissary from Chang Tso Lin was known to have been in Hankow yesterday. An attack by Sun Chuan Fang down the railway on Nanjing is expected. Heavy fighting has been reported at Split Hill.

## KWANGSI TROOPS.

6,000 RETURNING TO CANTON.

[NAVAL WIRELESS.]

SWATOW, Nov. 10th.

Three Chinese transports sailed for Canton with the 7th Army of Kwangsi troops—6,000 men in all.

HOLLAND AND HER  
COLONIES.REGULAR TELEPHONE COM-  
MUNICATION PRACTIC-  
ALLY ASSURED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE HAGUE, Nov. 11th.

The Postmaster-General, in a *communiqué*, states that excellent results were obtained by the short-wave radio telephone between Holland and the Dutch East Indies on the 7th inst., and that if the same standard of results is maintainable, regular telephone communication between Holland and her Colonies is assured.

BELGIAN AVIATORS'  
MISFORTUNE.CRASH ON SETTING OUT ON  
LONG FLIGHT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BRUSSELS, Nov. 11th.

The Belgian aviators, Medaets and Verhaegen, who started a non-stop flight to Leopoldville, in the Congo, crashed at Chaumont near Blois. Both were seriously injured.

## RADIO.

LAND AND SHIP STATIONS.

ARTICLES RATIFIED.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 11th.

A plenary session of the International Radio Conference, under the chairmanship of Mr. H. Hoover, has ratified the 18 articles of the new Radio Convention specifying the procedure to be adopted for communication between land and ship stations, including the rules for licensing stations and safeguards against interference in distress calls from ships.

The Belgian delegate intimated that Belgium was willing to hold the Telegraphic Conference in Brussels in 1928 instead of 1930.

ITALIAN AUTHORESS WINS  
NOBEL PRIZE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 10th.

The Swedish Academy has awarded the Nobel prize for literature, for 1926, to the Italian woman novelist, Grazia Deledda, whose works deal chiefly with peasant life in Sardinia.

## The Physics Awards.

The Nobel physics prize has been divided between Mr. Arthur Compton, of Chicago, for the discovery of the "Compton process," and Mr. C. T. Wilson, of Cambridge, for his method of observing electrified particles.

## ECHO OF ASYLUM CASE.

CENTRAL FIGURE FOUND  
DROWNED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 10th.

Mr. W. S. Harnett, the central figure of a sensational three-year litigation with a view to establishing his sanity, after he had escaped from an asylum, has been found drowned at Poplar.

INDIAN STATUTORY  
COMMISSION.STATEMENT BY SIR JOHN  
SIMON.TO LISTEN, LEARN AND  
REPORT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 11th.

Sir John Simon, K.C., M.P., addressing his constituency, refers to the great and difficult task before the Indian Statutory Commission of which he is Chairman. He says: "The British Parliament has a tremendous responsibility to the peoples of India. It is a responsibility which cannot be denied or evaded, for it is rooted in the history and in the facts of the world to-day. Therefore, if the future of India is to be one of peaceful progress and of goodwill both in India and in Britain this can come only by the action of the British Parliament combined with the co-operation of India itself. Both these are provided for by a scheme of which the work of the Commission is the first stage. The Commission does not go to India with any idea of imposing western ideas or constitutional reforms from without. We go to listen, to learn and faithfully to report our conclusions as to actual conditions and the varying proposals from within. When the Commission has reported, a scheme will be provided for that full and final consultation between representatives of the legislatures of India and Britain, which is essential in the connection to be fulfilled before reaching a position upon which so much depends. The task of the Commission calls for the highest qualities of sympathy and imagination as well as for endless patience, strict impartiality, industry and courage. I intensely desire to give what service I can to India and to Britain and while I am deeply conscious of my own shortcomings, I am going to do my best."

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DEATH OF SIR WALTER  
CAINE HILLIER.FORMER ADVISER TO THE  
CHINESE GOVERNMENT.

BORN IN HONG KONG.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 11th.

The death is announced of Sir Walter Caine Hillier.

[Sir Walter Hillier, K.C.M.G., was born in Hong Kong in 1849; and was the son of the late Mr. C. B. Hillier, late Consul at Bangkok. He was educated at Bedford Grammar School and at Blundell's School, Tiverton. He was a student interpreter in China in 1867. Chinese Secretary in 1868-69; Consul-General in Korea, 1890-96; Professor of Chinese, King's College, London, 1904-8; Adviser to the Chinese Government 1908-10. He had also been Adviser to the Military Authorities in China in 1900 during the Boxer Trouble, and received a medal. He was a member of a family well-known for generations in China. He married, in 1906, a daughter of the late Sir C. N. Aitchison, K.C.S.I.]

WORLD'S LARGEST  
SUBMARINE.

BUILT IN AMERICA.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

PORTSMOUTH, Nov. 10th.

At this New Hampshire seaport, the largest submarine in the world, the "F-4," and the first undersea minelayer built for the United States, has been launched.

The vessel carries a crew of eight officers and 80 men.

## LADY COBHAM.

TO ACCOMPANY HER HUS-  
BAND ON 20,000-MILE  
FLIGHT.WILL SUPERVISE THE  
COOKING.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, November 11th.

Lady Cobham will accompany Sir Allan Cobham on a flight of 20,000 miles round Africa, which he begins next Thursday from Rochester. She is going as a member of a crew of six, which the flying boat *Singapore* will carry, and in addition to assisting her husband in keeping detailed records of the flight, she will supervise the cooking for the crew.

## WAR DEBTS TO BRITAIN.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR  
PAYMENTS.

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## KENYA COLONY LOAN.

PENDING ISSUE OF £5,000,000  
STOCK.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 10th.

Kenya Government five per cent. Inscribed Stock Loan for £5,000,000 will be issued on Monday next by the Crown for the Colonies. The loan will be repayable in 1938, but the Colonial Government retains the option of redeeming it in 1943 or any subsequent year. The price is fixed at 90; and the first full half-year's dividend will be payable on July 15th, 1928.

The loan is one in which trustees are authorised to invest.

RESTORATION WORK IN  
FRANCE.

NEARLY COMPLETED.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PARIS, Nov. 10th.

The Chamber has passed the budget of the war devastated regions.

The Minister of Public Works stated that 98 per cent. of the fields had been repaired, and 67 per cent. of the estates, 89 per cent. of the works, 76 per cent. of the public buildings, 84 per cent. of the roads and 93 per cent. of the canals had been re-built.

TOTALISATORS ON ENG-  
LISH RACE COURSES.

QUESTION IN THE COMMONS.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 10th.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Winston Churchill, asked what were the intentions of the Government regarding the introduction of legislation to enable totalisator machines to be erected on race courses, replied that the Government had considered the report of the Jockey Club Committee and had decided that if a private member's bill authorising the establishment of totalisators on race courses was introduced during next session and obtained a second reading on a free vote of the House of Commons, they would endeavour to provide facilities for its adoption.

## THE KING OF IRAK.

TAKES PART IN TWO HOURS'  
CONFERENCE.OFFICIAL VISIT TO FOREIGN  
OFFICE.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, November 11th.

The King of Irak paid an official visit to the Foreign Office last night and was received by Sir Austen Chamberlain. His Majesty was accompanied by his Prime Minister and the whole question of the relations between the two countries was discussed for about two hours. King Feisal will visit Lancashire on Monday week.

## GRAFT IN NEW YORK.

PERMITS TO SELL TAINTED  
MILK.INSPECTORS IN PAY OF  
TRADESMEN.

A system of graft typical of the difficulties which municipal government in America has to fight against is revealed in a report presented to the city of New York.

It discloses that for ten years almost the whole staff of the City Health Department was organised into a corrupt body of bribe-seekers. Most of the favours sold were permits to sell tainted milk and other foods.

A new Health Commission appointed about a year ago has dismissed 45 employees for corruption. Five employees on pension have had their pensions stopped.

Judge Kelby, who has spent a year over his report, found that many sanitary inspectors had their names on the wages list of dairymen and received regular payment. Milk dealers and others have told him that unless such payments were made business was rendered impossible for them by interminable complaints and instructions.

"Honest" Men.  
The "honest" men in the department were known as "package" men, because they would receive gifts only in kind. Others received payments up to £10 a time.

A system of doubling was started, which a small dealer paid £50 for a permit to sell milk. Later on the inspector was paid £1,000 by a big dairy concern to withdraw the licence from him and some other small dealers.

"One of the biggest sources of graft was from milk and cream brought into New York from districts officially under a ban. The regular corruption rate on this was a dollar per can. Dealers who tried to evade it were made to pay a dollar and a half per can."

Harry Danziger, one of the chief inspectors, gave evidence against the secretary to the Health Commissioner and confessed that in 1924 and 1925 he had received in bribes of this sort over £20,000 and turned over 90 per cent. of it to the secretary.

Paying Scab.  
A highly-organised bluff upon the whole of the city authorities was carried out for five years in succession. The Department each year issued a severe report to the Finance Committee, asking for an extra appropriation to guard against outbreaks of disease. In one case it was Spanish influenza; in another it was typhus in Europe; in a third it was bubonic plague in other States of the Union.

Judge Kelby finds that in most cases these plagues did not even exist. The amount thus wasted was a million dollars.

That the root cause of this kind of graft here and elsewhere is the popular election of men to paid official positions and the awarding of employment as political pay, is clear. Judge Kelby mildly suggests that "district political leaders should be told to keep their hands off the Health Department activities in their area."

His pathetic conclusion is, "Indeed a full remedy may never be found until enough honest men can be found in the city of New York to inspect the food supply." Apparently Diogenes would need a very powerful flashlight here to-day.

He offers as the only excuse for the guilty inspectors the fact that their salaries ranged from £250 to £250 a year, a sum which he thinks—and comparison with the cost of living suggests he is right—is inadequate to put men above great temptation.—*Daily News*.

THE MARCONI  
COMPANY.STATE OF THEIR AFFAIRS  
DISCUSSED IN COURT.

THE JUDGE'S VIEW.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Nov. 10th.

The judge has confirmed the application for a reduction of the Marconi Company's capital.

LONDON, Nov. 11th.

Justice Eve, in granting the Marconi Co. their application, said that an extraordinarily careful valuation of the assets had been presented to the Court and the Company had made a strong *prima facie* case in support of the alleged loss of £1,625,000.

The respondents submitted that the reduction exceeded the sum which really was not represented by available assets and that the investigators had taken too pessimistic a view of the position.

His Lordship pointed out that this was only the last of a series of writings down which totalled nearly £8,000,000. It was impossible not to appreciate the shareholders' views. They had severely suffered, and they might think the loss was not altogether due to circumstances beyond the control of the management. He, therefore, allowed the inquiry to range far more widely than he would otherwise have done.

[A cable dated November 8th stated: Affidavits by Marconi Company shareholders, which it is alleged amount to charges of fraud against the directors of the company, were read in the Chancery Division at the hearing of the Marconi Wireless Telegraph Company's petition to write down the capital from £4,000,000 to £2,375,000, involving the reduction of the ordinary shares from 20 to 10 shillings. The spokesman of the opposition said that scheme aimed "to enable the directors by subsequent appreciation of the now artificially depreciated values, to show profits in order to justify the enormous sums they are receiving as remuneration for their services." The company's counsel, who mentioned that Sir John Marconi was too ill to attend at present, said that this was a charge of fraud of the most gross description. The hearing of the application was adjourned.]

WIRELESS TELEPHONE IN  
TANK.TANK "TALKS" TO ARMoured  
CAR.

A Tank, wonderful weapon though it is, is almost blind, deaf and dumb; its value would be quadrupled if tanks could talk to each other and their base by wireless.

The Army is taking a keen interest in the achievements of a Territorial officer, Captain K. E. Hartridge, of the 33rd (London) Armoured Car Company.

Dressed in dungarees and curled up on the floor of the seven-ton armoured car Dragon, I took part, says a correspondent to a home paper, in a three-way conversation with the armoured car Ace, about six miles away, and the van at Moulshof, 12 miles away during trials at Moulshof, Berks, of the new invention.

The noise inside an armoured car travelling along a country road at 15 miles an hour is such that you can only "talk" to the driver by putting your mouth within six inches of his ear and bawling at the top of your voice.

## Wave-Length Changes.

That is one of the difficulties which have to be faced. Another and more puzzling problem is that of eliminating the constant slight changes of wavelength which the presence of trees, walls and houses is liable to introduce in a set and aerial on the move. "Fine tuning"; cannot be done in a moving car, let alone a tank.

Morse would be a much easier job than telephony, but the beauty of telephony is its speed. Also a special operator is unnecessary; any member of the tank's crew can operate Captain Hartridge's instruments.

The transmitters are 30-watt affairs, and the receivers powerful seven-valve superheterodynes, with only one stage of low-frequency amplification.

## Collapsible Aerial.

Padded head-phones are used, for the loudest loud-speaker would be inaudible in the din.

The aerial is simply a hollow aluminium rod, about 10 feet high. (Continued on next Column.)

MR. CHURCHILL ON  
THE GOVERNMENT.

A GOOD RECORD.

SPLENDID ACHIEVEMENT.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

RUGBY, Nov. 10th.

Mr. Churchill, Chancellor of the Exchequer, speaking at the Constitutional Club, reviewed the record of the Government.

He said: "The Government was elected to secure stability, and with Mr. Baldwin at its head there was a belief that the nation would be given that period of repose, in order to recuperate, so long urgently needed. Three years have passed, and we have to any first of all that we have kept the peace. We have kept the peace abroad, and as far as it lay in our power, we have kept peace at home."

The three years had been a period of revival and recuperation and convalescence, both for Britain and Europe. Many would say that the progress had not been what was expected or hoped. That was undoubtedly true, but progress had been appreciable, and had been continuous. By every test one could apply the world was more secure. The prosperity of the country was more advanced, and social and economic dangers which menaced us, and still menaced us seriously, had been held at bay.

Nothing had been done which had weakened British resources, and the Government found themselves still with two years of life in this Parliament, and a better chance than it had three years ago, when it assumed the responsibility of power.

## Worst Industrial Crisis.

We had passed through the very worst, and in some respects most malignant, industrial troubles which the history of this country, and of any modern state, had ever witnessed—a general strike and prolonged paralysis in the coalfields. These two evils, he claimed, had destroyed a great part of the improvement for which one otherwise might have hoped. The coal subsidy had upset the Government's first year's finance. The strike itself had destroyed the second year's finance; and the aftermath of the strike, involving the loss of between £20,000,000 and £30,000,000 revenue, overclouded the country at the present time.

That the Government had been able to come through this period without increasing direct taxation, and without restoring indirect taxation on necessities, and at the same time had not merely retained the sinking fund at £50,000,000, which was statutory, but had raised it to £65,000,000, constituted an achievement of which no-one need be ashamed.

Referring to the passing of the Trades Union Act, Mr. Churchill declared that this had been welcomed by the large majority of trades unionists themselves as only right and fair, and it had been followed by a better spirit in industry.

On the roof of the car; with ingenious simplicity its base is fitted to an ordinary door-spring, so that when the car passes under low branches, or a bridge, the aerial simply lies down, and slowly rises when the obstacle is passed. The aerial is working all the time.

Operation seemed to be almost as simple as making an ordinary conversation, except that when you had finished speaking you called "over" and switched off the generator supplying current for the transmitting valves, while the other car to reply switched its generator on.

For some 20 minutes the Dragon's transmitter was out of action, unknown to its crew, owing to a minor defect in the microphone lead. It was both exasperating and amusing to rattle down an Oxfordshire lane listening to the Ace and headquarters discussing what had happened to us.

## The Indignant Driver.

"They've probably run into the river at Shillingford, or ditched themselves," they suggested, at which our driver—40 weeks in the year a city clerk—was mightily indignant.

Under favourable conditions, the extreme range of the apparatus is about 20 miles, and a 10-mile range is always obtainable.

Captain Hartridge has not told for more, for the greater the range, the more chance there is of the signals being picked up by the enemy. Hence the use of comparatively weak transmitters and very powerful receivers. The wave-lengths used run from 70 to 140 metres.



## CRICKET.

## INTERPORT XI. v. CAPTAIN MORRIS'S XI.

In perfect weather the Interport team started their match against a strong XI. of the Rest under Capt. Morris yesterday. The Rest batted first on a wicket which appeared to be a bit flaky at the Law Court end and rather dead at the other. Dobbie, from the Naval Yard, took full advantage of this and bowled uncommonly well at the stumps. His first three wickets came from the same type of ball—which swung in from leg. Thorpe was taken at second slip, Venn bowled by a ball which just chipped the off-stump and Bridgeland taken very finely at first slip—a very fast chance—off one that came right across the wickets. Wales bowled five overs quite well except that he dropped too many short. As it was, he might well have had Dynes stumped, but the ball slipped from Pearce's hand before the wicket was broken. Apart from this Dynes was batting admirably. After Dobbie got his third wicket at 33, Pearce took him off for Goodwin. Hawkey had meanwhile gone on for Wales and though he seemed to be bowling too much on the leg he was very unlucky to have Hawkey dropped at forward short leg. It was a smart chance but it should have been held and it is the sort of thing that may lose a match.

Morris is not yet out of his patch and at 41 he entirely mistimed one from Goodwin and was c and b. Goodwin, however, was bowling very much short of a length. All the same he managed to get Dynes, who obviously intended to pull the ball. Whether the ball kept lower than he expected or whether he found it was a slower one I could not quite see that he appeared to check his shot at the last and was also caught by the bowler. Pearce then went on and the ball continued to get up, Erskine tried to hit one well pitched up, but it rose sharply and he skied it to mid-off where Hawkey made no mistake. 6 for 53. Lammert drove Hawkey for four, very nearly a six, but a couple of balls later hit across and was bowled middle stump. Bruce's next ball was a long hop on the batsman's body but he did not get hold of it and put it in the air to fine leg where Dale took it running across from first slip. 6 for 63. Shaw hit Hawkey for four but immediately after tried to hook one to the square leg boundary and skied it to Fincher at square leg. 9 for 67. Reed got Bruce to leg for two—only the only runs scored off Bruce. The next one, however, was a beauty and took his leg stump, after brushing his pads.

The Interport Side Bats. Hayward and Bruce opened to Erskine (Naval Yard end) and Reed. Cricket ruled quiet at first, both batsmen realizing the wicket was not one on which to fool round with off-balls. At 22 Bruce was bowled off his pad from one of Reed's which kept low. I doubt if he saw it as at the moment the sun was just getting down and while the pitch was in shadow the sun was in the batsman's eyes.

Fincher and Hayward then settled down to master the bowling. The latter played much more restrained cricket than usual and baring a half hit one off Erskine which fell twenty yards behind the bowler and a big drive off Reed (to which Bridgeland did well even to get a hand as it pitched five feet up on the screen) he was very safe. Fincher also played very steadily. About 80 he survived a confident appeal for a catch at the wicket off Thorpe with his score at 10. Shortly after he was nearly c and b from a hard and high return to Dynes who got a hand to it, but the chance was too hot. The separation finally came at 100 when Hayward hit a very big pulled on drive and was finely caught by Lammert fielding right out in front of the Taikoo building. His 50 was a very pretty innings. Ramsey went in and played out well. The light was fading at 5.15 p.m. and they came in with the score at 118 for two.

To Continue To-morrow. The game will be resumed at 2 p.m. to-morrow. I do not think one can usefully comment until it is over save to say that to-day's play is most encouraging. Unfortunately, Lieut. K. Hunt, R.M., owing to a slight touch of fever was unable to turn out but E. C. Fincher, who came in to the side has done very well.

Team holding my Notes on the Shanghai side over until Monday, for further information.

R. ABBIT.

## Present score and analysis—First Innings of Captain Morris's XI.

Lt. Dynes, c and b Goodwin	23
Capt. Thorpe, c Bruce, b Dobbie	2
Rev. R. T. Venn, b Dobbie	0
Capt. Bridgeland, c Dale, b Dobbie	11
Capt. Morris, c and b Goodwin	1
Capt. Erskine, c Hayward, b Bruce	9
Group-Comdr. Robertson, c Dale, b Bruce	9
Cl. P. Lammert, b Hawkey	4
Pay-Lt. Comdr. Shaw, c Fincher, b Hawkey	4
Lt. Comdr. Thomson, not out	4
R. B. Reed, b Bruce	3
Extras: byes 4, leg bye 1	5

Total ..... 73

Fall of wickets:—1 for 3; 2 for 11; 3 for 33; 4 for 41; 5 for 42; 6 for 50; 7 for 63; 8 for 63; 9 for 67; 10 for 73.

Bowling Analysis.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Capt. A. G. Dobbie	7	3	12	3
C. D. Wales	5	1	10	0
Lt. J. B. A. Hankey	9	1	27	2
F. Goodwin	4	4	14	2
W. Bruce	3.2	3	2	3

## First Innings of Interport XI.

A. W. Hayward, c Lammert, b Dynes	33
W. Bruce, b Reed	8
E. C. Fincher, not out	3
A. W. Ramsey, not out	3
Byes	9

Total (for 2 wks.) ..... 118

## T. E. Pearce, C. R. Sayer, Lt. J. H. Dale, R.N., Capt. Dobbie, K.O.S.B., Lt. J. B. A. Hankey, K.O.S.B., F. Goodwin and C. D. Wales did not bat.

Fall of wickets:—1 for 22; 2 for 100.

Capt. Erskine ..... 6 1 17 0

Capt. Reed ..... 9 3 24 1

Lt. Comdr. Thomson ..... 5 0 23 0

Capt. Thorpe ..... 6 0 24 0

Lt. Dynes ..... 5 0 18 1

Bowled 1 no ball.

## LEAGUE MATCHES.

## "HAT TRICK" BY PORTUGUESE.

Two League matches were decided yesterday in the Second Division. In the first the Club de Recreo beat the Hong Kong Electric Co. and in the other the University beat H.M.S. Tamar.

In the former match eight of the Electric Co. men failed to score and their total was 42 runs. This was due to the extraordinarily good bowling of the Portuguese. H. A. Alves did the "hat trick" clean bowling three men. He eventually finished with 5 wickets for 13 runs. This is the best performance of his kind this season and Alves received all round congratulations from his club-mates after the match. In addition he scored 51 runs.

## Recreo.

H. M. Xavier, c Vickers, b Musket	2
L. Guterres, b Murdoch	15
J. E. Noronha, b.w., b Musket	5
H. A. Alves, b Way	51
E. de Sousa, b.w., b Murdoch	1
R. Reed, b Murdoch	9
M. Pinna, c and b Murdoch	4
D. Xavier, b Murdoch	2
H. Barros, not out	14
J. Lopes, hit wicket, b Way	2
C. M. Sousa, c Vickers, b Musket	1
Extras	3

Total ..... 102

## Bowling Analysis.

J. R. Way, b Sousa .....	6
H. F. Akelhurst, b Alves ....	4
G. G. Thomson, b Alves .....	1
J. C. Dunbar, b Alves .....	1
W. B. Muskett, c J. Noronha, b Alves .....	
H. S. Jones, c Noronha, b Alves .....	
Extras .....	

## Electric Co.

C. E. Gahagan, c D. Xavier, b Pinna	27
J. Vickers, c Lopes, b Pinna	0
S. J. C. Stanesby, not out	8
L. de Rome, c Guterres, b Pinna	0
W. N. Murdoch, b Sousa	7
J. R. Way, b Sousa	0
H. F. Akehurst, b Alves	0
G. G. Thomson, b Alves	0
J. C. Dunbar, b Alves	0
W. B. Musket, c J. Noronha, b Alves	0
H. S. Jones, c Noronha, b Alves	0
Extras	0

Total ..... 42

## Bowling Analysis.

The University had little difficulty in beating H.M.S. Tamar on their own ground. They ran up a total of 177 runs and then dismissed their opponents for 87.

Scores:—

University 2nd XI.

## UNIVERSITY v. H.M.S. "TAMAR."

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## University 2nd XI.

S. R. Kermani, run out	14
H. T. Barma, b.w., b Bearley	8
W. M. Gittins, b Hayter	0
M. B. Osman, b Beasley	0

A. Chan Fook, c and b Blythe	32
A. B. Suleiman, c Bradley, b Hayter	4
B. N. Sudan, b Beasley	13
K. T. Loke, c Stevens, b Rose	38
A. Baker, c Rose	18
N. P. Karanjia, not out	7
F. Hiptoola, c Redding, b Hayter	3
Extras	19

Total ..... 177

## Bowling Analysis.

Hayter	10.4	2	47	2
Beasley	13	3	41	3
Rose	6	1	33	2
Stevens	1	0	16	0
Blythe	5	0	22	1

**H.M.S. "Tamar."**

Bradley, not out	51
Beasley, c Kermani, b Hip-	
tools	0

## H.M.S. "Tamar."

Bradley, not out	31
Beasley, c Kermani, b Hiptoola	0
Blythe, c Sudan, b Hiptoola	4
Rose, c Loke, b Hiptoola	1
Philips, b Sudan	6
Stevens, b Gittins	11
Noland, c Baker, b Chan Fook	2
Jenkins, c Kermani, b Kittins	1
Redding, run out	1
Hayter, b Chan Fook	4
Crook, c Kermani, b Gittins	0
Extras	6

Total ..... 87

## Bowling Analysis.

Sudan .....	11	4	30	3
Hiptoola .....	9	3	30	3
Gittins .....	6.3	1	27	3
Chan Fook .....	5	1	14	2

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**FRIENDLY MATCHES.**

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**KOWLOON C.C. v. ARMY.**

## FRIENDLY MATCHES.

## KOWLOON C.C. v. ARMY.

The second strings of the Kowloon Cricket Club and the Army met in an all-day match on the former's ground. High scores were the feature of the match and after some interesting play the Army won by 42 runs, passing their opponents' total at the ninth wicket. E. F. Fincher (84 not out), C. T. Evans (60), Pte. Everest (69) and Sergt. Wood (49).

## Kowloon C.C.

G. A. V. Hall, c Drysdale, b Smith	13
A. A. Dand, b Lake	1
F. E. Lawrence, b.w., b Smith	18
E. F. Fincher, not out	61
H. T. Buxton, c and b Lake	8
R. E. Lindell, b Lake	1
A. R. F. Raven, b Badcock	23
C. T. Evans, c Everest, b Badcock	50

Total ..... 195

## Bowling Analysis.

O. B. Raven, c and b Lake				
Extras				
Total				19
Bowling Analysis				
	O.	M.	R.	W.
*Lake	15.5	3	56	
Smith	12	2	54	
Badcock	9	0	63	

\*Lt. Lake 15.5 3 56 4

Smith 12 2 34 2

Badcock 9 0 63 4

Everest 2 0 13 0

Bowled 1 no ball.

## Army.

Lt. Welsh, b Hamblin	36
Sergt. Walker, b Overy	21
Capt. Drysdale, b Overy	0
Lt. Smith, b Overy	4
Lt. Col. Badcock, c O. B. Raven, b Overy	0
Pte. Lake, c Hall, b A. R. Raven	13
Sergt. Wood, b.w., b Overy	49
Pte. Everest, c Hall, b A. R. Raven	69
Mr. Gar. Fogden, c Lawrence, b Overy	23
Sgt. M. S. Moss, b Fincher	23
Pte. Hill, not out	22
Extras	2

Total ..... 237

## Bowling Analysis.

S.Q.M.S. Moss, b. Fincher ...	2
Pte. Hill, not out .....	2
Extras .....	2
Total .....	22

Bowling Analysis:

	O.	M.	R.
Fincher .....	10.4	1	53

\*Bowled 1 wide each.

†Bowled 3 wide each.

## CIVIL SERVICE v. ROYAL ENGINEERS.

A draw resulted in the match between the Civil Service Cricket Club second eleven and the Royal Engineers on the former's ground at Happy Valley. The Home side who batted first collected 169 runs to which total, R. S. W. Paterson contributed 50 run out. He hit nine 4's. R. T. Davis made 22. Jones (R.E.) took 3 wickets for 19 runs. The Royal Engineers replied with 128 runs for 7 wickets when stumps were drawn. Major Playfair was outstanding batsman of the side, scoring 63 including ten boundaries. Grimmit was the most successful bowler taking 4 wickets for 33 runs.

## CRAIGENGOWER v. POLICE.

In another match at Happy Valley, the Craiggengower Cricket Club beat the Police Recreation Club by 151 runs to 92. The match was played on the Craiggengower ground. E. Zimmern, with 52, was top scorer for the home side. A. Zimmern, his brother, following next with 33. For the Police Craig (33) and Alexander (28) helped their side materially.

## YESTERDAY'S FOOTBALL.

## SERVICES TROUCE THE REST.

## CHARITY MATCH FOR EARL HAIG'S FUND.

The match on the H.K.F.C. ground between the Services and a team chosen from the Rest of the Colony was won by the Services by six goals to one. The Rest took the lead early in the game, when Gosano sent in from a pass by Pile and beat Avery. The Services had the better of the game but Pau was in good form in goal for the Rest. Leach stopped the ball twenty yards out and with a well directed shot scored for the Services, making the score one all. Both goalies were several times tested but at the interval the score was one all.

Resuming, the Rest forced a corner which was cleared and the Services going down, Alexander turned into goal from a pass by Aird. From now until the finish the Services were on top. Simms received on the penalty line and sent in, the ball glancing off a defender entered the net. Northey ran through the defence and crossed in front of goal. Leach turning the ball into the net to give the Services a four to one lead.

Northey and Ward brought the ball down and the former drawing Pau out of goal slipped the ball across and Leach again sent into the net. The six and last goal for the Services was the best of the game. The ball dodged about in front of the Rest's goal and Northey standing well out received and sent along giving Pau no chance.

Lai Yuk Tat and Lam Yuk Ying were absent from the Rest's team. Prior to the kick off and during the interval, the pipe band of the K.O.S.B.'s played selections on the field.

The game was well attended and the gate mounted to about \$1,800.

## INTERPORT PRACTICE GAME.

The first of a series of Interport Practice games will be played on the H.K.F.C. ground on Thursday next, 17th instant. Kick off, 4.30 p.m.

A selected team will play the Borderers. The following have been chosen: Pau Ka Ping (China Ath.); Wynne (Police) and Lai Yuk Tat (China Ath.); C. F. Remedios (Club de Recreo); Simms (R.A.M.C. and Kowloon) and Lam Yuk Ying (China Ath.); McLeach (Scotts Guards); J. Silva and Gosano (Club de Recreo); Suen Kum Shun (China Ath.) and Rev. Alexander (K.O.S.B.'s).

## CHESS.

## ONE MORE DRAW.

## [REITER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

Buenos Aires, Nov. 10th. Capablanca and Alekhine have drawn in the 27th game.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

## THE INTERPORT TEAM.

[TO THE EDITOR OF "THE HONG KONG DAILY PRESS."]

Sir,—The only mention I made of the Selection Committee in my letters was that the inclusion of the cricketer concerned is a question between that body and "Critic" and, surely, such a remark cannot, by the utmost stretch of one's imagination, be construed as an attempt to "insinuate" that the Selection Committee ought not to be criticised. In controversy, it is convenient to allege—without a shred of evidence in this instance—that your opponent tries to insinuate something and that he is wrong in so doing. But "this is not done" and it is not fair play to try such tactics.

The second paragraph of "Fair Play's" letter with the view that there is nothing wrong with the tone of "Critic's" effort calls for no reply, as one is entitled to one's opinion. Perhaps, it is not inappropriate to trot out the truism that there are Hong Kong boys and to add that one can sincerely sympathise with the cricketer concerned and yet take exception to the phraseology of "Critic's" last paragraph. However, it must be conceded, that such a distinction cannot be grasped by a prejudiced mind—I am, etc.

SPORTSMAN.

## FOOTBALL.

## TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

The following games in the Hong Kong League are down for decision to-day. A full programme of 11 matches:—

## Division I. Kick-off at 4.15 p.m.

Queen's Regt. v. Kowloon F.C. Chatham Road ground. Referee: Mr. F. Smith.

Club de Recreo v. R.A. King's Park ground. Referee: Mr. J. W. Baldwin.

China Athletic v. Scots Guards. Honan Kong F.C. ground. Referee: Sergt. Hyson.

R.A.F. v. South China, Kowloon F.C. ground. Referee: Capt. Austin, M.C., M.M.

K.O.S.B.'s v. Hong Kong F.C. Sookunpoo ground. Referee: Mr. Barber.

## Division II. "A": Kick-off at 2.45 p.m.

R.A. Res. v. K.O.S.B.'s Res. Sookunpoo ground. Referee: Mr. Cowan.

Kowloon Res. v. South China "A." Kowloon F.C. ground. Referee: Sergt. Browne.

South China "B" v. Club de Recreo Res. King's Park ground. Referee: Pipe Major Mackie.

St. Joseph's v. Hong Kong Club Res. St. Joseph's ground. Referee: Mr. Phillips.

University v. China Athletic Res. Hong Kong F.C. ground. Referee: Mr. Presley.

## Division II. "B": Kick-off at 2.45 p.m.

Kung Woo v. St. Joseph's Res. Yaumati ground. Referee: Pte. Lamb.

South China "B" v. China Athletic, South China ground. Referee: Mr. Lonsdale.

## Kick-off at 4.15 p.m.

Kowloon "B" v. South China "A." South China ground. Referee: Mr. Samy.

Moslem Club v. Boy Scouts, St. Joseph's ground. Referee: Mr. R. M. Omar.

## FORECASTS.

The Police are the only League team standing down to-day. Fourteen games are on the card and some good football should be seen. At a glance, all the first-named teams in the Senior Division are likely winners.

The Queen's, who are now quartered at Kowloon, are at home on the Chatham Road ground to the Kowloon F.C. A good game should be seen, but the Queen's will be too strong for the Railway Club team. Kowloon showed great improvement in their last game when they unexpectedly defeated the R.A.F. on the Railway ground. With several players on the forward line, they are sure to improve as the season advances and the Queen's defence will be hard pressed to keep the youngsters out. The military team's ten goals against South China last week will make them favourites to-day.

A good game should be seen at King's Park between the R.A. and Club de Recreo. It would not come as a surprise if the R.A. should be the first to lower the champions' colours this season. The R.A. are, at present, very erratic, as witness their game with the Hong Kong Club a fortnight ago. Having the better of the game with a weakened side, they went all to pieces when the first goal was registered against them.

The Scots Guards are due out on the Hong Kong F.C. ground where they meet the unbeaten Athletic team. Although it is not expected that the Guards will lower the Athletic's colours, they should give a good game and the scoring should be low. Seats will be a premium and late arrivals will be unable to witness the game.

Another win for the R.A.F. should be the result of the game on the Railway ground where they meet South China. The latter team were successful against Kowloon on this ground three weeks ago and the following week the Air Force went down to Kowloon. While it would appear on paper that South China should win, they will probably come home without a point, for the R.A.F. have shown marked improvement in their recent games.

Hong Kong Club are visitors to Sookunpoo and there should be a very even game. Taylor improved the Club's attack last week and with Stewart back in the team the K.O.S.B.'s will have to go all out to take full points.

The K.O.S.B.'s Reserves are also at Sookunpoo, the R.A. finding the opposition. The K.O.S.B.'s should have an easy win.

Kowloon Reserves should win against the South China "A" on the Railway ground.

At King's Park, the home Reserves will oppose South China "B." The result should be a win for the home team.

The game on St. Joseph's ground should be interesting and the Club should at least secure a point.

The game on the H.K.F.C. ground between the University and the China Athletic Reserves, should end in a win for the latter.

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## HOCKEY.

## WASEDA UNIVERSITY BEAT NAVY.

## A CLOSE GAME.

The Waseda University hockey players defeated the Navy by three goals to two on the U.S.R.C. ground yesterday afternoon.

Play was very fast throughout and exchanges were fairly even. Both custodians had plenty to do in the first half, which gave one goal to each side, Ohkubo netting for Waseda and Lt. Comdr. Agnew for the Navy.

During the second half the Navy attacked strongly, but the Japanese in one of their occasional rushes broke through and Ohkubo found the net to give his side the lead. The Navy, however, equalised through a good shot by Lt. Webster. With an even score both sides worked hard to win. The Japanese came near the goal once, but failed when a score looked certain. Within two minutes of the close, however, they attacked again and Hirose scored the winning goal.

## Teams:—

Waseda University: Uno, Nishida and Kaneko; Hirai, Okada and Nakajima; Minakami, Ohkubo, Hirose, Tomonaga and Natsuka (Captain).

Navy: Tel. King; Lt. Love and Lt. Newman; Surg-Lt. Finlayson, Lt. Davies and Lt. Comdr. Agnew; Lt. Mackendrick, Lt. Jones, Pay-Comdr. Webster (Captain), Lt. Cecil and Lt. Liddell.

## Waseda v. Club.

This afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Waseda team will play their last match, their opponents being the Hong Kong Hockey Club. The match will be played at King's Park.

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### GOLF.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP AT SHANGHAI.

M. W. BUDD ELIMINATED IN THE FIRST ROUND.

#### THE NARROW ESCAPE OF A. R. BLINKO.

Not for a long time has there been such sensational golf in Shanghai as that which took place at Kiangwang on Sunday in the first of the match play rounds of the championship of the Shanghai Golf Club, writes the N.C. Daily News. It will be remembered that the qualifying round took place a week ago, and, in accordance with the decision of the meeting of a year ago, all the match play rounds with the exception of the final have limited to 18 holes, instead of 36 as previously. Accordingly the first of these rounds took place on Sunday morning, while the second was played off in the afternoon. The semi-final will take place tomorrow, and the final the week following. The new procedure was popular, and there is no denying the fine golf that took place. The most interesting event of the day was the defeat of M. W. Budd in the first round by H. R. Malcolm, while in the second round A. R. Blinko just escaped by the skin of his teeth.

#### The Results.

The results of the day's play are as follows:—

#### FIRST ROUND.

R. Lock beat A. Gray, 1 up.  
A. V. Pettitt beat K. M. Cumming, 2 and 1.  
H. R. Malcolm beat M. W. Budd, 2 and 1.  
F. H. Prevot beat J. H. Underwood, 2 and 1.  
W. H. Huggett beat T. W. Mitchell, 2 and 1.  
A. R. Blinko beat D. Ward-Smith, 4 and 3.  
J. F. Pilcher beat R. T. Denison, 3 and 4.  
A. Hamilton beat D. McLaren, 1 up.

#### SECOND ROUND.

R. Lock beat A. V. Pettitt, 1 up.  
H. R. Malcolm beat F. H. Prevot, 5 and 3.  
A. R. Blinko beat W. H. Huggett, 1 up.  
J. F. Pilcher beat A. Hamilton, 1 and 3.

#### Some Details Of Play.

The scoring was extraordinarily good, and one heard little of anything being done that was not in the 70's. Malcolm was playing a very fine game, and his win over Budd in the morning was the feature of the day. Budd started out by winning the first three holes, but then the situation was reversed. Malcolm was playing an extraordinarily clever jigger, and, except for an eight at the 14th, made no mistakes, whereas Budd in the second nine holes failed to show his usual form. He was not putting as he usually does, and accordingly allowed Malcolm to overcome his initial handicap and secure a win. Now, standing his eight at the 14th, Malcolm was round in 74. It was a fine performance, for to beat Budd at any time is difficult, and obviously it was a very difficult job on this occasion.

Malcolm continued his good work in the afternoon when he had to meet Prevot, who was putting up good golf. Prevot had beaten Underwood in the morning by a small margin, but Malcolm had no particular difficulty in overcoming him. As showing the calibre of his play, it should be mentioned that for 17 holes he failed to hole out on one occasion—he had a score of 69 against Prevot.

R. Lock failed to get a distinguished position in the open championship, owing to his having taken 95 for one round, but there was nothing of this sort in his play yesterday. He beat Gray by one up in the morning, each taking an approximate 76, and then successfully tackled Pettitt in the afternoon, when he had a victory by a narrow margin.

K. M. Cumming had an experience interesting for one of so long standing and such intimacy with conditions out here. He failed to remember the changed conditions, and in his encounter with Pettitt presumed that it was a match of 36 holes. In no sense did he underestimate his opponent's golf—no one does that with Pettitt, who is one of the most difficult men to beat, for invariably he hangs on to the bitter end—but Cumming spent part of the morning correcting shots which he was playing badly, and hoping that, being only a couple of holes down, he might thereby pull through in the afternoon. Thereby he came a cropper, for Pettitt had him on the 17th green.

#### Blinko's Close Shave.

W. H. Huggett and T. W. Mitchell were in excellent form in the morning, and the former had to do a 74 to his opponent's 76 to register a victory. In the meantime A. R. Blinko had disposed of

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### A CHAIN OF STEEL MASTS

#### THE ELECTRICITY SCHEME FOR ENGLAND.

#### LONDON'S SUPER-STATION.

Great Britain is about to see a beginning made with the construction of the greatest public utility service which has been conceived so far, in the present century—the standardisation, inter-connection and development of the electricity supply of the country.

It is only eight months since parliamentary authority was given for the vast undertaking, some details of which have already been published in the Daily Press. Already schemes for the provision of a cheap and abundant supply of electricity for two areas—Scotland and London and the Home Counties—have been evolved. A third—for the Midlands counties—will have been planned by the end of the year, and within six months plans will be ready for dealing with Yorkshire, Lancashire and Cumberland.

South-West England. South Wales. North-East England.

Work will soon be started on the Scottish scheme. So rapid has been the preparation of the various schemes that there is every likelihood that a year hence—by which time the Scottish undertaking should be well on the way to completion—evidence of the electricity supply will be visible in every part of the country except the Highlands of Scotland and the extreme south-west of England.

Although the scheme, prepared by the Electricity Commissioners for London and the south-east of England will not be available to the central board for execution until about the end of the month, it is possible to indicate its principal features.

#### Finest Ever Built.

At present, London is served from 70 power stations; 40 of these will be dispensed with. Later, the number will be reduced to 10, which, it is understood, will supply not only London but the whole area between Peterborough and Southampton.

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Though London will have ten capital stations, the bulk of the supply will be provided by three stations—the present one at Barking, E., and two new stations, one at Chiswick, W., and the other at Battersea, S.W.

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Ward-Smith, and then in the afternoon he met Huggett. The latter maintained his form, and practically led until the crucial holes at the end. By the 13th hole he was two up on Blinko, and it was not until the 17th that Blinko ever had a lead in the round. Then Huggett just tipped the hole with his putt, and Blinko stood dormie. Huggett made a great attempt to square the match on the last green, but again missed his putt by the narrowest of margins, and Blinko won by one up. Blinko did a 73 in this round, while Huggett had a 75.

Pilcher played good steady golf throughout the day, and appeared to have recovered from the erratic form which he has displayed on some occasions lately. He did a 75 in the morning and in the afternoon was 77. His opponent in the afternoon was Hamilton, who displayed very good form, but was scarcely a match for Pilcher.

With the elimination of Budd, the contest now takes on a very great deal of interest. Next Sunday Lock will meet Malcolm, while Blinko and Pilcher will have to fight out the other semi-final.



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BANGKOK	"KWANGTUNG"	On 13th Nov.	8 a.m.
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SHANTUNG"	On 13th Nov.	8 a.m.
HUIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG	"TEAN"	On 13th Nov.	Noon
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANTUNG"	On 13th Nov.	6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI, NEW CHANG & DALNY	"YINGHONG"	On 13th Nov.	10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"HANTANG"	On 13th Nov.	10 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KWANGCHOW"	On 13th Nov.	Noon
HONGKONG	"SHANSI"	On 14th Nov.	Noon
AMOI, SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SUIYANG"	On 14th Nov.	6 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"LINAN"	On 14th Nov.	8 a.m.
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SINKIANG"	On 14th Nov.	6 a.m.
AMOI, SWATOW, SINGAPORE & BANGKOK	"KWEIYANG"	On 20th Nov.	6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & DALNY	"KANCHOW"	On 20th Nov.	10 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KIANGSU"	On 20th Nov.	Noon
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"CHENAN"	On 24th Nov.	8 a.m.
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENSIN	"KUSICHOW"	On 24th Nov.	4 p.m.
SHANGHAI & TSINGTAO	"SZECHUEN"	On 24th Nov.	6 a.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANEUI"	On 27th Nov.	6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & DALNY	"LUCHOW"	On 27th Nov.	10 a.m.
SWATOW & BANGKOK	"KAYING"	On 27th Nov.	Noon
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 3rd Dec.	4 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"ANKING"	On 4th Dec.	6 a.m.

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CHANGTE	18th December	18th December
TAPING	7th January	14th January
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S.S. "PHEMIUS"	Via Suez Canal	28th November
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# Shipping News Arrivals and Departures, etc.

## ARRIVALS.

November 10th.  
Cheong Shing, British str., 1,230 tons, Capt. Croft, from Canton, lying at buoy No. C33—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
Formosa, Swedish str., 4,329 tons, Capt. F. W. Borin, from Gothenburg and Suez, the latter port she left on October 18th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A31—Gilman & Co.  
Rollen, Norwegian str., 773 tons, Capt. C. Stenholm, from Hoihow, with salt for Canton, lying at Yaumati—Karsten, Larssen & Co.  
Togoku Maru, Japanese str., 4,388 tons, Capt. Midori Tani, from Yokohama and Shanghai, the latter port she left on Nov. 7th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A31—N.Y.K.  
Tann, Chinese str., 864 tons, Capt. Chan Kum, from Kwong Chow Wan, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C18—Wai King & Co.  
Yingchow, British str., 1,216 tons, Capt. E. M. Gellie, from Shanghai and Amoy, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. B12—H. & S.

November 11th.  
Antung, British str., 2,107 tons, Capt. G. Morse, from Amoy, with a general cargo, lying at Stonecutters—B. & S.  
Foonshing, British str., 1,423 tons, Capt. W. Allen Bulch, from Canton, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. B32—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
Hop Sang, British str., 1,350 tons, Capt. W. J. Booker, from Shanghai, which port she left on November 8th, with a general cargo, lying at West Point Wharf—Jardine, Matheson & Co.  
Limchow, French str., 1,416 tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from Haiphong and Canton, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C45—Sing Kee.  
Lushan Maru, Japanese str., 1,507 tons, Capt. T. Yabukawa, from Canton, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. C38—N.Y.K.  
Macedonia, British str., 5,887 tons, Capt. H. W. Potter, R.N.R., from Yokohama via Shanghai. The latter port she left on Nov. 8th, with a general cargo, lying at buoy No. A1—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.  
Mantua, British str., 5,883 tons, Capt. G. G. Randall, from London, which port she left on October 7th, with a general cargo, lying at Kowloon Wharf—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co.  
New Mathilde, British str., 842 tons, Capt. E. G. Rapley, from Hoihow, with a general cargo, lying at Taikee Wharf—Yick Tai S.S. Co.  
Phoenician, British str., 1,065 tons, Capt. A. MacInnes, from Hoihow, with a general cargo, lying at Stonecutters—Wo Fat Shing.  
Sang Bo, French str., 720 tons, Capt. J. Bournamouir, from Canton, lying at buoy No. C41—Messageries Maritimes.

## CLEARANCES.

November 11th.  
Baron Kelsin, for Bangkok.  
Hanoi, for Kwong Chow Wan.  
Hop Sang, for Canton.  
Limchow, for Hoihow.  
Lushan Maru, for Swatow.  
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LIGNES COMMERCIALES (Cargo Boats).  
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S.S. "SI-KIANG" ... 1st week December.

S.S. "MIN" due to arrive from DUNKIRK, LONDON, HAYRE about the 25th November.

## SERVICES CONTRACTUELS (Mail Service)

Steamers	Sailings from Marseilles	Arr. at Hong Kong & Sailings for Shanghai and Japan	Sailings from Hong Kong for Marseilles
SPHINX	—	—	22nd Nov.
PORTOS	—	—	6th Dec.
RAUL LECAT	21st Oct.	23rd Nov.	20th Dec.
ANDRE LEBON	4th Nov.	7th Dec.	3rd Jan. 1928.
CHENONCEAUX	18th Nov.	21st Dec.	17th Jan.
ANGERS	2nd Dec.	4th Jan.	31st Jan.

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## CAMERA, THAT SEES THROUGH MIST.

MIRACLES OF MODERN PHOTOGRAPHY.

CITY IN A 9 BY 7 INCH PICTURE.

A photograph so small that it is invisible to the naked eye was shown at the 72nd annual exhibition of the Royal Photographic Society of Great Britain.

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## PASSENGERS.

### Arrivals.

Per P. & O. s.s. Macedonia, from Yokohama, on November 11th: Mr. M. Barnes, Mr. G. M. Kimmont, Mr. and Mrs. Chamier, Mr. E. K. Rayner, Mr. B. Bray, Mr. C. Mason, Miss Jo. Wrenn, Miss J. Norman, Mr. John Arundel, Mr. H. Pecknold, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Smith, Miss Smith, Miss A. Woods, Miss Rita Vivienne, Miss D. Vivienne, Mr. F. Collier, Mrs. Billingsley, Mr. Billingsley, Capt. E. Barrett, Miss Hughan, Baroness Sadoine, Mr. A. Brook, Mr. Nickoll, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Maze, Mr. G. Johnston.

Macedonia, for Singapore.  
Mantua, for Shanghai.  
Phoenician, for Whampoa.  
Shantung, for Shanghai.  
Shin Hing, for Mscuo.  
Sang Bo, for Kwong Chow Wan.  
Tonjer, for Whampoa.  
Togoku Maru, for Singapore.  
Yingchow, for Canton.

It is a portrait of J. N. Niepce, one of the inventors of photography, taken by Professor Goldberg, of Dresden. To be seen it has to be looked at through a microscope.

The actual photograph is so small that more than 100 of the same size would not be crowded on a small pinhead. It has to be magnified 150,000 times before it becomes a distinguishable portrait of a man about an inch square.

In another room was a photograph about 6-in. by 7-in. which shows the whole of New York. It includes 30 square miles of territory and was taken at a height of 12,000-ft., or more than two miles.

It is claimed as one of the outstanding technical achievements of the year, and it is almost bewildering in its complexity and minute details it shows. One can distinguish clearly sky-scrapers, bridges and streets.

### The Misty Mountain.

The camera can now take things not seen by the eye, as is demonstrated by two remarkable photographs. One shows a mountain shrouded in mist. The other reveals the ordinary aspect of the mountain with full detail, although when the photograph was taken the mist was still there. The explanation is that for the latter a camera was used which contained a red sensitive plate and a haze-cutting filter to eliminate the blue rays. By these means the camera can see through mist and fog.

Among the exhibits was the first kinematograph projector, made before 1881, and several slides, made by the inventor, Mr. Rudge, which offer the first example of trick photography to be shown on a screen. One depicts Mr. Rudge himself taking off his head and placing it under his arm.

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To	STEAMSHIP	DATE
TSINGTAO via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"MOOSHING" "CHAKSANG" "KWAISANG"	Sun., 13th Nov., at 7 a.m. Sun., 20th Nov., at 7 a.m. Wed., 23rd Nov., at 7 a.m.
SHANGHAI DIRECT	"YUENSANG"	Wed., 16th Nov., at 7 a.m.
TIENSIN via WEIHAIWEI & CHEFOO	"CHEONGSHING" "CHIPSHING"	Satur., 18th Nov., at 5 p.m. Sun., 27th Nov., at 5 p.m.
OSAKA via AMOI, SHAL MOJI & KOBE	"LAISANG"	Sun., 20th Nov., at 7 a.m.
CANTON	"HOPSANG"	Satur., 12th Nov., at 7 a.m.
STRAITS & CALOUTTA	"NAMSANG" "KUTSANG"	Fri., 18th Nov., at 3 p.m. Thurs., 1st Dec., at 3 p.m.
SANDAKAN	"HINSANG" "MAUSANG"	Satur., 26th Nov., at 3 p.m. Wed., 30th Nov., at 3 p.m.

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Steamship "CARNARVONSHIRE"	(via Oran)	23rd December
Steamship "GLENIFFER"	(via Oran)	25th January, 1928
Steamship "GLENSANDA"	(via Oran)	22nd February, "

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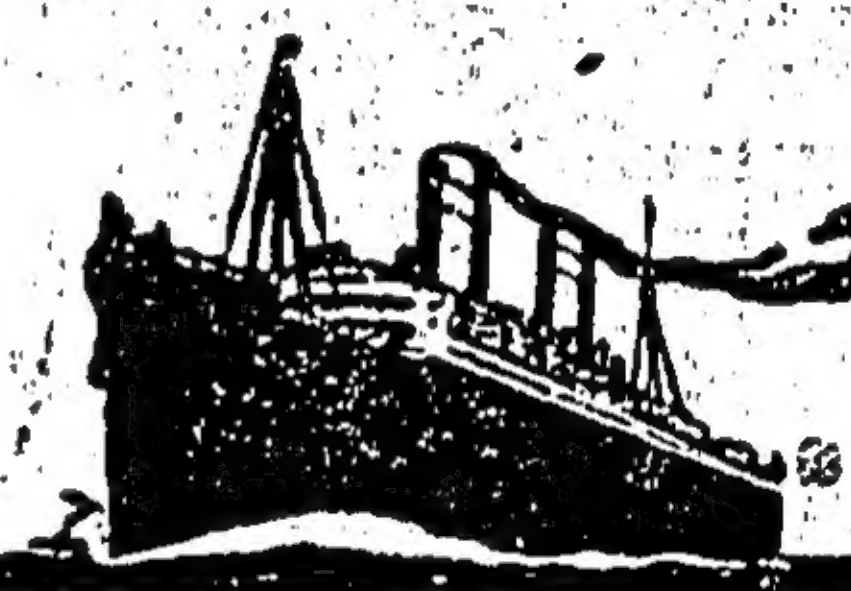
Steamship "CARNARVONSHIRE"	12th November
Steamship "PEMBROKESHIRE"	29th November
Steamship "GLENIFFER"	8th December
Motor Vessel "GLENOGLE"	22nd December
Steamship "GLENSANDA"	12th January, 1928

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S.S. "DERFFLINGER"	19th Dec.,	14th Jan., 1928.

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S.S. "GERWIN" ... on or about 30th November/1st Dec.

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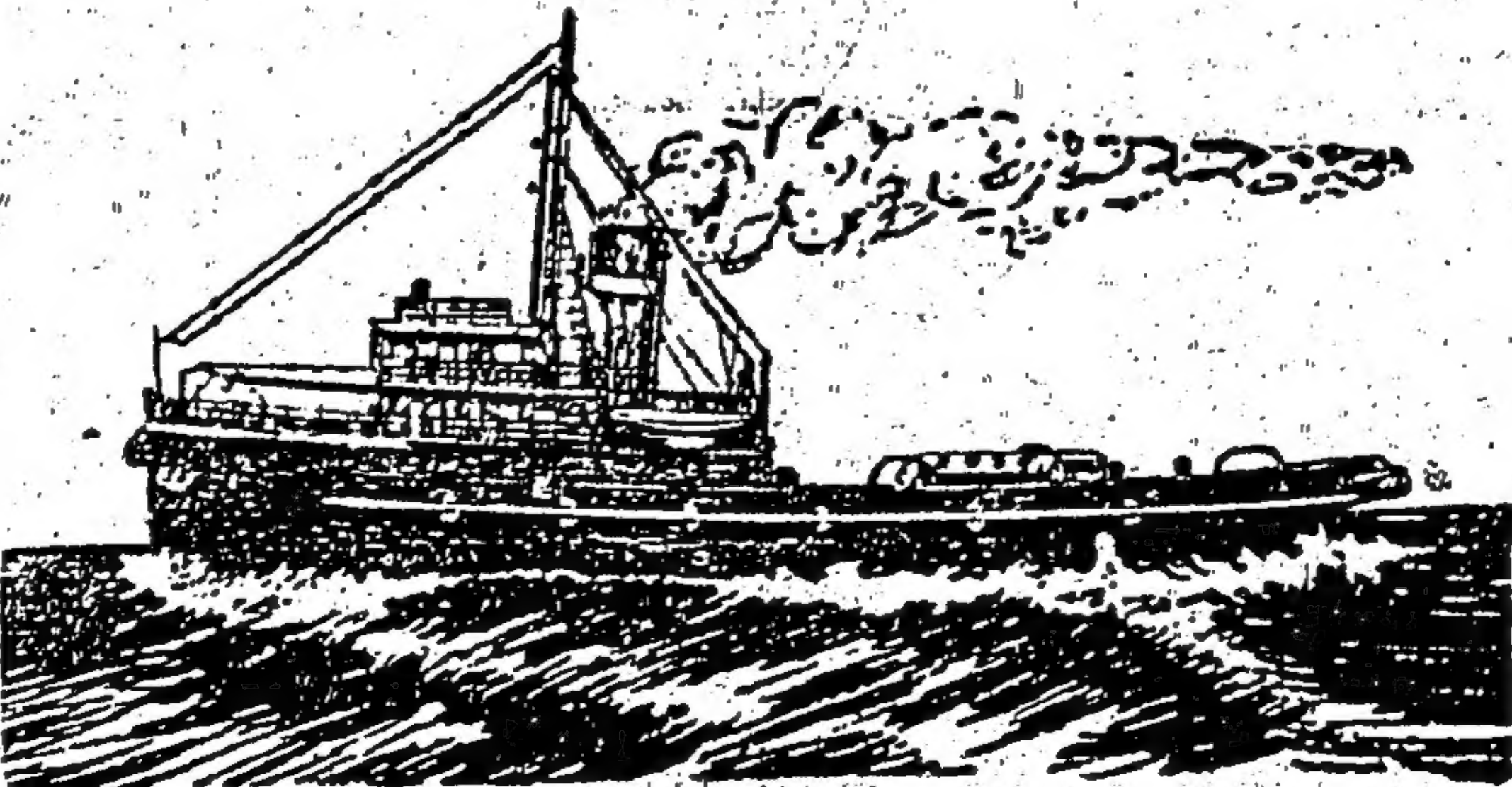
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FUSHIMI MARU ... Saturday, 3rd Dec.

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila &amp; Ports.

MISHIMA MARU ... Wednesday, 23rd Nov.

TANGO MARU ... Wednesday, 31st Dec.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang &amp; Colombo.

\* PENANG MARU ... Sunday, 13th Nov.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,

Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

BOKUO MARU ... Wednesday, 16th Nov.

SOUTH AMERICA (East Coast) via Singapore, Cape

Town &amp; Ports.

WAKASA MARU ... Thursday, 24th Nov.

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\* DAKAR MARU ... Friday, 8th Dec.

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\* MOBIKA MARU ... Friday, 18th Nov.

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 \* "ZOSMA" ... 18th December.  
 \* "OOSTERK" ... 10th January.

SAILINGS FOR EUROPE:

\* "OLDEKERK" ... 28th November.  
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## Shipping News

Daily Statement, Waterfront  
News, etc.YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT  
RETURNS.TWENTY-SIX VESSELS  
ARRIVE.

## HEAVY THROUGH CARGOES.

Twenty-six vessels arrived during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday. Imports for the Colony were not particularly heavy, but through cargoes were considerably above the average.

Of the 26 arrivals, 16 discharged here. The total amount of freight unloaded was 12,780 tons. Three British ships brought 1,188 tons. The two best returns were 2,373 tons and 2,273 tons, by the s.s. *Tanger* from Chinwangtao and the *Parfet* from San Francisco.

Fourteen vessels had through cargoes, the total amount being 4,938 tons. Six steamers carried 3,334 tons and four Japanese vessels 6,000 tons. The two best returns were shown by the s.s. *Formosa* and the *Totori Maru*. The former from Gothenburg and Suez carried 6,779 tons and the latter from Yokohama and Moji, 6,363 tons.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

	Arr.	Dep.
British	7	5
Swedish	1	0
American	1	0
French	4	0
Norwegian	2	3
Japanese	4	1
Chinese	7	4
Dutch	0	2
Total	26	15

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL  
REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, November 11th.

Previous On Date On Date  
 Day at 2 p.m. 8 a.m. 1 p.m.

Barometer...	30.01	30.08	30.06
Temperature	73	80	74
Humidity...	62	79	67
Wind			
Direction	ESE	NE	E
Force	3	3	3
Weather	B	B	C
Rain	0.00	0	0.00

Highest open-air temperature, 8th: 74

Lowest open-air temperature, 11th: 65

B=Blue sky; C=Cloudy; D=Drizzle;  
 F=Fog; L=Lightning; M=Mist;  
 O=Overcast; P=Passing showers;  
 Q=Squalls; R=Rain; T=Thunder.

## HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From November 12th to 18th, 1927.

High Water. Low Water.

Day of Week	Date	High Water	Low Water
Sat.	12	h. m. 10 40	h. m. 5 29
Sun.	13	11 44	4 23
Mon.	14	11 25	4 52
Tues.	15	10 08	5 30
Wed.	16	10 42	6 09
Thur.	17	11 15	6 44
Fri.	18	11 37	7 11

## VESSELS EXPECTED.

American Mail and Dollar Lines.

President Lincoln, to-morrow.

President Grant, Nov. 14th.

President Cleveland, Nov. 31st.

President Polk, Nov. 31st.

Australasian Oriental Line.

Changteh, Dec. 9th.

Bank Line.

City of Osaka, Nov. 27th.

City of Peking, Dec. 24th.

Blue Tunnel Line.

Patmelus, Nov. 17th.

Tathylus, Nov. 17th.

Baryades, Nov. 20th.

Machado, Nov. 20th.

Achilles, Dec. 8th.

Momon, Dec. 8th.

Cyprus, Dec. 8th.

Pyrrhus, Dec. 10th.

Antenor, Dec. 15th.

Tydareus, Dec. 23rd.

Ision, Dec. 30th.

British India and Apear Line.

Santhia, Nov. 14th.

Talamba, Nov. 18th.

Canadian Pacific Line.

Empress of Asia, Nov. 14th.

Empress of Canada, Nov. 21st.

Dodwell &amp; Co.

Lancaster Castle, Nov. 15th.

Calulu, Dec. 4th.

Remo, Dec. 8th.

Way Castle, Dec. 10th.

East Asiatic Co., Copenhagen.

Malaya, Nov. 23rd.

Kina, Dec. 17th.

Eastern and Australian Lines.

St. Albans, Dec. 5th.

Glen Line.

Carnarvonshire, to-day.

Pembroke, Nov. 29th.

Gleniffer, Dec. 8th.

Glenugie, Dec. 22nd.

Hamburg-Amerika Linie and

Hugo Stinnes Linien.

Ramser, Nov. 17th.

Ramsey, Nov. 30th.

Fogland, Dec. 14th.

Albert Vogler, Dec. 31st.

Holland East Asia Line.

Gemma, Nov. 15th.

Zosma, Dec. 13th.

Java-China-Japan Line.

Tjikarang, Nov. 14th.

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## DAILY WATERFRONT NEWS.

[BY LONGHORNMAN.]

Accident On A Ferry.

A Chinese who was sitting on the gunwale of the Yaumatei Ferry, Man Fex, had his hand crushed when the launch was berthing at Yaumatei. He became unconscious and dropped into the water, but was picked up by his brother who jumped in after him from the ferry.

Chinese Deck Passengers.

Chinese deck passengers arriving in the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday numbered 1,153. These were brought by ten different vessels.

## WARSHIPS IN PORT.

Warships and auxiliaries in port yesterday were the *Yamato* and *Tarantula*. East Wall Basin, S/Ma. L. 1, L. 15 and L. 19; North Arm, *Tianma* and S/Ma. L. 2, L. 3, L. 7 and L. 8; West Wall Dock, *Durban* and *Khark*; In Dock, *Thracian*, *Sepoy* and S/M. L. 20; Taikoo Dock, *Peterel* and *Tern*; No. 1 Buoy, *Argus*; No. 2 Buoy, *Witherington*; No. 3 Buoy, *Wivern*; No. 4 Buoy, *Felara*; No. 5 Buoy, *Ambruse* and S/Ma. L. 1, L. 5, L. 27 and L. 32; No. 9 Buoy, *Marazion*; No. 11 Buoy, *Serapis*; No. 13 Buoy, *Brace*; No. 18 Buoy, *Ruthenia*; No. 20 Buoy, *Francel* and *Belgot*.

Foreign Men of War:—U.S.S. *Pampana*.SUNRISE AND SUNSET IN  
HONG KONG.

FOR NOVEMBER, 1927.

STANDARD TIME OF THE 120th  
MERIDIAN, EAST OF  
GREENWICH.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset
November 12th	6.33 a.m.	5.41 p.m.
" 13th	6.34	5.41
" 14th	6.35	5.41
" 15th	6.35	5.40
" 16th	6.36	5.40
" 17th	6.37	5.40
" 18th	6.37	5.39
" 19th	6.38	5.39
" 20th	6.38	5.39
" 21st	6.39	5.39
" 22nd	6.40	5.38
" 23rd	6.40	5.38
" 24th	6.41	5.38
" 25th	6.42	5.38
" 26th	6.43	5.38
" 27th	6.43	5.38
" 28th	6.44	5.38
" 29th	6.45	5.38
" 30th	6.45	5.38

## Messageries Maritimes.

*Sphinx*, Nov. 22nd.  
*Paul Lecat*, Nov. 23rd.  
*Min*, Nov. 25th.  
*Andre Lebon*, Dec. 7th.  
*Chenonceaux*, Dec. 21st.

## Norddeutscher Lloyd, Bremen.

*Deutscher*, Nov. 14th.  
*Trier*, Nov. 31st.  
*Derfflinger*, Dec. 19th.  
 Peninsular and Oriental.  
*Khiva*, Nov. 18th.  
*Kashgar*, Nov. 23rd.  
*Morea*, Dec. 8th.  
*Kalyan*, Dec. 12th.  
*Devanha*, Dec. 23rd.

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